FORM 3

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>CAMPBELL ROBERT ERNST</u>			2. Date of Event Requiring Stater (Month/Day/Yea 04/13/2009	ment	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NORDSTROM INC [ JWN ]							
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O NORDSTROM, INC. 1700 7TH AVENUE					Relationship of Reporting Pers (Check all applicable)     Director		10% Owner		5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)			
					X	below)	Other (spe	cify	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)			
(Street)					Vice President and		Treasurer		X	X Form filed by One Reporting Person		
SEATTLE WA 98101		Form filed by More than One Reporting Person										
(City)	(State)	(Zip)										
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned												
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)					2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4) Geneficially Owned (Instr. 4) Geneficially Owned (Instr. 4) Geneficially Owned (Instr. 5)  3. Ownership Form: Direct (or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)		t (D)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)				
Common Stock					10,171		D					
Common Stock					3,127				By 401(k) Plan, per Plan statement dated 3/31/09			
Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)												
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)			2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		d 3. Title and Amount of Securi Underlying Derivative Securit			4. Conve	ercise	5. Ownership Form:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)	
			Date Exercisable	Expiratior Date	n Title		Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivative Security		Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)		
Stock Units			(1)	(1)		Common Stock	45.16 <sup>(2)</sup>	(3)		D		
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)		(4)	02/25/2014	4	Common Stock	2,380	19.56		D			
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)		(5)	02/23/2015	5	Common Stock	5,556	26.01		D			
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)		(6)	02/22/2016	5	Common Stock	6,336	6,336 40.27		D			
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)			(7)	03/01/2017	7	Common Stock	7,107	53	.63	D		
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)			(8)	02/28/2018	3	Common Stock	9,487	38	.02	D		
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)			(9)	02/27/2019	9	Common Stock	21,638	13	.47	D		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. The stock units are convertible into the issuer's common stock and payable upon the occurence of certain events, including the reporting person's retirement from the issuer.
- 2. Stock unit dividends paid on performance share units that were deferred at the election of the reporting person under the Executive Deferred Compensation Plan.
- $4.\ Granted\ under\ the\ issuer's\ 1997\ Stock\ Option\ Plan,\ exercisable\ in\ four\ equal\ annual\ installments\ commencing\ 2/25/05.$
- 5. Granted under the issuer's 2004 Equity Incentive Plan, exercisable in four equal annual installments commencing 2/23/06.
- 6. Granted under the issuer's 2004 Equity Incentive Plan, exercisable in four equal annual installments commencing 2/22/07.
- $7.\ Granted\ under\ the\ issuer's\ 2004\ Equity\ Incentive\ Plan,\ exercisable\ in\ four\ equal\ annual\ installments\ commencing\ 3/1/08.$
- 8. Granted under the issuer's 2004 Equity Incentive Plan, exercisable in four equal annual installments commencing 2/28/09.
- 9. Granted under the issuer's 2004 Equity Incentive Plan, exercisable in four equal annual installments commencing 2/27/10.

## Remarks:

Duane E. Adams, Attorney-in-

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

04/22/2009

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

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<sup>\*</sup> If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5 (b)(v).

<sup>\*\*</sup> Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

The undersigned hereby constitutes and appoints the Corporate

Paralegal (currently Duane E. Adams), an employee of Nordstrom, Inc.,

signing singly, the undersigned's true and lawful attorney-in-fact

to:

- (1) execute for and on behalf of the undersigned, in the undersigned's capacity as an officer and/or director of Nordstrom, Inc. the "Company"), Forms 3, 4 and 5 and Form ID in accordance with Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the rules thereunder;
- (2) do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of the undersigned which may be necessary or desirable to complete and execute such Forms 3, 4 and 5 and Form ID, and any amendment or amendments thereto, and timely file such forms with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission and any stock exchange or similar authority; and
- (3) take any other action of any type whatsoever in connection with theforegoing which, in the opinion of such attorney-in-fact, may be of benefit to, in the best interest of, or legally required by, the undersigned, it being understood that the documents executed by such attorney-in-fact on behalf of the undersigned pursuant to this Power of Attorney shall be in such form and shall contain such terms and conditions as such attorney-in-fact may approve in such attorney-in-fact's discretion.

The undersigned hereby grants to such attorney-in-fact full power and authority to do and perform any and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary or proper to be done in the exercise of any of the rights and powers herein granted, as fully to all intents and purposes as the undersigned might or could do if personally present, with full power of substitution or revocation, hereby ratifying and confirming all that such attorney-in-fact, or such attorney-in-fact's substitute or substitutes, shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue of this Power of Attorney and the rights and powers herein granted.

The undersigned acknowledges that the foregoing attorney-in-fact, in serving in such capacity at the request of the undersigned, is not assuming, nor is the Company assuming, any of the undersigned's responsibilities to comply with Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. The undersigned agrees to hold harmless the Company and the foregoing attorney-in-fact for the performance of the foregoing actions in the exercise of any rights and powers herein granted.

This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until the undersigned is no longer required to file Forms 3, 4 and 5 with respect to the undersigned's holdings of and transactions in securities issued by the Company, unless earlier revoked by the undersigned in a signed writing delivered to the foregoing attorney-in-fact.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of this 21st day of April, 2009.

/s/ Signature

Robert E. Campbell