FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  NORDSTROM JOHN N						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol NORDSTROM INC [ JWN ]									k all app Dired	olicable) ctor	g Person(s) to Issuer 10% Owner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O NORDSTROM, INC. 1617 SIXTH AVENUE				01/	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/05/2004  4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6 Indi	Officer (give title Other (specify below)  6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable				
(Street) SEATTLE WA 98101					-   4. 11	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Forn	Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City) (State) (Zip)																		
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Date)						r) Ex	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5)			4 and	r 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
									Code	v	Amount	(/	A) or 1	Price	Trans	ted action(s) 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)
Common Stock															5	88,748	D	
Common Stock															1	61,610	I	By wife
Common Stock															2,7	780,000	I	See (1)
Common Stock															2,006		I	See (2)
Common Stock														2		2,006	I	See (3)
Common Stock															10,000		I	See (4)
Common Stock				01/05/2004					S		10,000 D		D	\$33.67	5,654,124		I	See (5)
Common Stock				01/05/2004					S	s 10,000		)	D	\$33.69	5,644,124		I	See (5)
Common Stock				01/05/2004					S		40,000		D	\$33.73	5,6	604,124	I	See (5)
Common Stock				01/05/2004					S		20,000	)	D	\$33.8	5,584,124		I	See (5)
Common Stock				01/05/2004					S		23,100 D		D	\$33.81	5,561,024		I	See (5)
Common Stock 01/				01/05	1/05/2004				S		900		D	\$33.82	5,560,124		I	See (5)
Common Stock 01				01/05	01/05/2004				S		2,200		D	\$33.83 5,5		557,924	I	See (5)
Common Stock 01/05/				/2004				S		1,800		D	\$33.86 5,		556,124	I	See (5)	
Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																		
Derivative Conversion Date Execution Date, Security or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any			4. Transa	Transaction Code (Instr.		of I		5. Date Exercise Expiration Date (Month/Day/Yea		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		8. P Der Sec (Ins	rice of ivative urity tr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Explanation	n of Respons	ps.			Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisal		Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numi of Share	per				

- 1. By the John N. Nordstrom Interests L.P. ("JNN LP"), a limited partnership of which Mr. Nordstrom is a general partner. Mr. Nordstrom disclaims beneficial ownership of shares held by JNN LP except to the extent of his pecuniary interest.
- 2. By Mr. Nordstrom as trustee for the benefit of Beck Thomas Nordstrom
- 3. By Mr. Nordstrom as trustee for the benefit of Haley K. Nordstrom
- 4. By the estate of Katharine J. Nordstrom, of which Mr. Nordstrom is the Executor
- 5. By the Elmer and Katharine Nordstrom Family Interests L.P. ("Family LP"), a limited partnership of which JNN LP is a general partner. Mr. Nordstrom disclaims beneficial ownership of shares held by the Family LP except to the extent of his pecuniary interest.

## Remarks:

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

- $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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