FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  BRASHEAR MARK S  (Last) (First) (Middle)  C/O NORDSTROM, INC.  1617 SIXTH AVENUE  (Street)  SEATTLE WA 98101					3. D 02/	Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NORDSTROM INC [ JWN ]      Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)     02/18/2005  4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									X	all app Direct Office below F	blicable) ctor er (give title w) cxecutive \ r Joint/Group n filed by One		Owner (specify ) Applicable
(City)	(St	ate) (2	Zip)													Pers		e man one re	porting
		Tabl	e I - Nor	n-Deriv	ative	Se	curitie	s Acq	uired,	Dis	posed o	f, oı	r Ben	eficia	ally	Owne	ed		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transar Date (Month/Date					Executi		Date,	Transaction Disposed Code (Instr. 5)		ties Acquired (A) I Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			4 and Sec Ben Owr		cially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
						Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price		Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(111511.4)			
Common Stock 02/18					2/18/2005						1,337(1	1)	D	\$48.2		25 8,137		D	
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution I if any (Month/Day	Date, Trans			of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date E Expiratio (Month/D	on Dat		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		ount		vative urity tr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction( (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Exercise of tax withholding right upon settlement of Performance Rights. The Performance Rights were previously approved by the issuer's Compensation Committee.

## Remarks:

Duane E. Adams, Attorney-in-Fact for Mark S. Brashear

02/23/2005

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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).
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