FORM 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

;	STATEMENT OF	CHANGES IN	I BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* Witman David M					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NORDSTROM INC [JWN]									(Checl	all app	olicable)		ssuer Owner (specify	
	(Fii RDSTROM TTH AVEN	, INC.	Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/19/2006								X	belov E	v) " Executive V	below ice President)`		
(Street) SEATTL:			98101 Zip)		4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Indi Line) X	Form Form	idual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
Date			2. Transa Date (Month/D	Execution Date,		Code (Transaction Code (Instr. 5		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5)				5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
									Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Pric	ce	Transa	ction(s) 3 and 4)		(11150.4)
Common Stock							П						6,405(1)		D				
Common Stock																2,564	I	By 401(k) Plan, per Plan statement dated 4/30/06	
Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																			
1. Title of 2. 3. Transaction Date Execution Date, or Exercise (Month/Day/Year)		1. Solution (Code (Instr. S) (Code (Inst		5. Nu of Deriv Secul Acqu (A) of Dispo of (D) (Instr	5. Number 6 of E		6. Date Exercisable Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		ble and 7. Title and Amount of			8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)			Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
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Explanation of Responses:

1. Includes 207 shares acquired on 3/31/06 under the Nordstrom Employee Stock Purchase Plan.

Remarks:

/s/ Duane E. Adams, Attorneyin-Fact for David M. Witman

05/19/2006

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- * 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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