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* BLACK LAURIE M (Last) (First) (Middle) C/O NORDSTROM, INC. 1700 SEVENTH AVENUE															eck all applic Directo	or		10% Ov	vner	
					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/22/2006									_ 2	below)	Officer (give title below) Executive Vice Pres			specify	
(Street)			98101		4.	I. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(S	•	(Zip)	n-Deri	vativ	e Se	curities		nuired	Die	nosed o	of or B	ene	ficiall	v Owned					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)			2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		ear)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr.					A) or	5. Amour Securitie Beneficia	nt of	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)		Price	Reported Transact (Instr. 3 a	ion(s)			(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock			02/22/2006		6			A		14,987	I,987 ⁽¹⁾ A		\$0	33,590		D				
Common Stock														6,929		I		By 401(k) Plan, per Plan statement dated 1/31/06		
		-	Table II -								osed of, onverti				Owned					
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution E if any (Month/Day	d Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of		6. Date Exercise Expiration Date (Month/Day/Yea		able and	7. Title and Amo of Securities Underlying Derivative Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)		mount	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Numbe derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactie (Instr. 4)	e s Illy	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)		Date Exercisab		Expiration Date	Title	or Nu of	umber						
Employee Stock Option (right to	\$40.27	02/22/2006			A		19,866		(2)	0	02/22/2016	Commo Stock	n 19	9,866	\$0	19,86	6	D		

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Settlement of Performance Rights which were awarded by the Board's Compensation Committee on 2/18/03 pursuant to the Nordstorm, Inc. 1997 Stock Option Plan. The Performance Rights vested on 2/22/06, based on the Compensation Committee's determination that the applicable performance criteria had been met as of 1/31/06.
- 2. Granted under the issuer's 2004 Equity Incentive Plan, exercisable in four equal annual installments commencing on 2/22/07.

Remarks:

/s/ Duane E. Adams, Attorneyin-Fact for Laurie M. Black

02/23/2006

** 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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