FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Minuk Jack H						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NORDSTROM INC [JWN]								Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner				
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O NORDSTROM, INC. 1617 SIXTH AVENUE						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/21/2006								X Officer (give title below) Other (spe below) Executive Vice President			w)`	
(Street) SEATTLE WA 98101 (City) (State) (Zip)				4.	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ne) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
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1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date (Month/D				action	ar) it	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) o Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a			5. Amou Securitie Beneficie Owned F	nt of es ally Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transact (Instr. 3	tion(s)		(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock 08/21					1/2006	/2006					20,688	B A	\$14.5	23,	,176	D		
Common Stock 08/21/					1/2006	2006			S		20,688	D	\$36.02	9 2,	488	D		
Common Stock														2,	869	I	By 401(k) Plan, per Plan statement dated 7/31/06	
			Table II								osed of,			Owned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deem Executior if any (Month/Da	ed n Date,	d 4. Date, Transacti Code (Ins		5. Number on of			xerci:	sable and	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactic (Instr. 4)	Owners Form: Direct (I) (I) (Insti	Beneficial Ownership ect (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$14.5	08/21/2006			M			20,688	(1)		02/26/2008	Common Stock	20,688	\$0	0	D		

Explanation of Responses:

1. The option vested and became exercisable during the first five years from 2/26/98 (the date of the grant) when the issuer's stock sustained an average price for at least 20 consecutive market days as follows: 20% at an average price of \$40; 35% at an average price of \$47.50; and 45% at an average price of \$55. Thereafter, all unvested options were automatically exercisable 8 years from 2/26/98 (the date of grant).

Remarks:

/s/ Duane E. Adams, Attorneyin-Fact for Jack H. Minuk ** Signature of Reporting Person

08/22/2006

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).

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