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* NORDSTROM BRUCE A						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NORDSTROM INC [JWN]									5. Relationshi (Check all app X Direc		olicable)	g Person(s) to	ssuer
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O NORDSTROM, INC. 1617 SIXTH AVENUE				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/09/2004										X	belov	,	Other below of the Board	(specify)	
(Street) SEATTLE WA 98101 (City) (State) (Zip)					- 4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Indiv Line) X	ividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
1 Title of S	Security (Inst	ative	tive Securities Acquired					posed o											
Dat				Date	Date		Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Transa Code (Transaction Code (Instr.		Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4				Securi Benefi Owned	ities icially d Following	Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
									Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Pric	се		ted action(s) 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)
Common Stock 01/09/					9/2004	2004			G	V	11,110		D	\$3	\$35.96		130,363	D	
Common Stock															3,4		167,680	I	See (1)
Common Stock																7	77,600	I	See (2)
Common Stock																2,7	750,760	I	See (3)
Common Stock 01/09/					9/2004	2004			G	v	5,000		A	\$3	5.96		8,388	I	By spouse
	Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																		
L. Title of Derivative Security Instr. 3) 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security Security			Date, Transaction Code (Inst			n of		6. Date E Expiratio (Month/D	n Date		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Inst and 4)		g instr. 3	Deri Sec (Inst	rice of 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)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa		Expiration Date	Titl	Nu of	umber					

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. By self as trustee for my benefit and the benefit of my children under the Frances Nordstrom Trust.
- 2. By self as trustee for my benefit and the benefit of my children under the 1976 Bruce A. Nordstrom Trust.
- 3. By self as co-trustee for the benefit of Anne Gittinger under the Everett Nordstrom Trust.

Remarks:

Duane E. Adams, Attorney-in-Fact for Bruce A.

01/09/2004

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** 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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