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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP**

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Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>NORDSTROM BRUCE A</u>			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>NORDSTROM INC [ JWN ]</u>		5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) <b>Chairman of the Board</b>	
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>03/12/2003</u>		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person	
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)				

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	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			
Common Stock	05/21/2003		A		1,536 <sup>(1)</sup>	A	17.07	6,443,009	D	
Common Stock	05/21/2003		A		0	A	0	3,467,680	I	By self as trustee <sup>(2)</sup>
Common Stock	05/21/2003		A		0	A	0	777,600	I	By self as trustee <sup>(3)</sup>
Common Stock	05/21/2003		A		0	A	0	363,094	I	By self as trustee <sup>(4)</sup>
Common Stock	05/21/2003		A		0	A	0	371,710	I	By self as trustee <sup>(5)</sup>
Common Stock	05/21/2003		A		0	A	0	93,388	I	By spouse
Common Stock	05/21/2003		A		0	A	0	2,750,760	I	By self as co-trustee <sup>(6)</sup>

**Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date					

**Explanation of Responses:**

- Awarded shares under the issuer's Pacesetters Stock Plan
- By self as trustee for my benefit and the benefit of my children under the Frances Nordstrom Trust
- By self as trustee for my benefit and the benefit of my children under the 1976 Bruce A. Nordstrom Trust
- By self as trustee for the benefit of John William Hopen under the John W. Hopen Trust
- By self as trustee for the benefit of Susan Elizabeth Hopen Dunn under the Susan Dunn Trust
- By self as co-trustee for the benefit of Anne Gittinger under the Everett Nordstrom Trust

Duane E. Adams, Attorney-in-Fact for Bruce A. Nordstrom 05/23/2003

\*\* 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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