FORM 4

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* NORDSTROM JOHN N						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NORDSTROM INC [JWN]										Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner						
																	Officer (give title					
(Last) (First) (Middle)						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/02/2003											belov			pelow)	(specify	
C/O NORDSTROM, INC.						12/02/2003																
1617 SIXTH AVENUE						If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)											Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable					
(Street)																	Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person					
SEATTLE WA 98101																Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
(City)	(St	ate) (Zip)																			
		Tabl	e I - No	n-Deriv	ative	Se	curit	es Ac	qui	ired,	Dis	posed o	f, o	r Ber	efici	ally	Owne	ed				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)						ar) l	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		, 7	3. Transac Code (II 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5)				and Securities Beneficially Owned Follow		ities icially d Following	6. Owner Form: Dir (D) or Ind (I) (Instr.	ect irect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
										Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price		Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)	
Common	Stock																59	90,767	D			
Common Stock																	161,610		I		By wife	
Common Stock																	2,7	780,000	I		See (1)	
Common Stock																	2	2,006	I		See (2)	
Common Stock																	2,006		I		See (3)	
Common Stock																	10,000		I		See (4)	
Common Stock 12/02/					2/2003	3				S		10,500	10,500 D		\$34	4.34 8,0		004,652	I		See (5)	
Common Stock 1				12/02	12/02/2003					S		5,000		D	\$34.37		7,999,652		I		See (5)	
Common Stock 12/02					2/02/2003					S		10,000		D	\$34.5		7,9	989,652	I		See (5)	
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)	rivative curity Conversion Date Conversion Date (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any			Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		of Der Sec (A) Dis of (Ins	of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Date Expiration on the	n Date	Ar) Se Do Se ar		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4) Amoun or Numbe of Title Shares		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Owne Form Direct or Ind (I) (Ins	(D) irect	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. By the John N. Nordstrom Interests L.P. ("JNN LP"), a limited partnership of which Mr. Nordstrom is a general partner. Mr. Nordstrom disclaims beneficial ownership of shares held by JNN LP except to the extent of his pecuniary interest.
- 2. By Mr. Nordstrom as trustee for the benefit of Beck Thomas Nordstrom
- 3. By Mr. Nordstrom as trustee for the benefit of Haley K. Nordstrom
- 4. By the estate of Katharine J. Nordstrom, of which Mr. Nordstrom is the Executor
- 5. By the Elmer and Katharine Nordstrom Family Interests L.P. ("Family LP"), a limited partnership of which JNN LP is a general partner. Mr. Nordstrom disclaims beneficial ownership of shares held by the Family LP except to the extent of his pecuniary interest.

Remarks:

Duane E. Adams, Attorney-in-Fact for John N. Nordstrom

12/02/2003

** 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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