NORDSON CORP Form 4 April 09, 2003

## FORM 4

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# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Addre			and Ticke		Perso	6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
(Last) ( 28601 CLEMENS	3. I.R.S. Id of Reporting if an entity	ng P		mber		ement for /Day/Year <b>03</b>	10% Of Othe	X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)  RETIRED DIRECTOR			
WESTLAKE, OH					Date of	mendment, f Original n/Day/Year)	(Che X Fo Perso Fo Repo	7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State) (Zij	o)	Tab		Non-Dei	rivativ	e Secur	ities Acquired, D	isposed	of, or Benef	icially Owned
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	action Date	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/ Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8 Code		4. Securitic (A) or Disp (Instr. 3, 4) Amount	osed o	of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transactions(s) (Instr. 3 & 4)		6. Owner- ship Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
COMMON SHARES	04/07/03		M		1,127	A	\$0.00	3	359,583	D	
COMMON SHARES								1	08,961	I	By Spouse
COMMON SHARES								1,5	524,240	I	By Trust
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Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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FORM 4 (continued) Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

<sup>\*</sup> If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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Derivative	sion or	action	Deemed	Trans-	of		and Expiration		of Underlying		Derivative	Derivative	Owner-	of Indi
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	Price of		Date,	Code	Sec	urities	(Month/Day/		(Instr. 3 & 4)		(Instr. 5)	Beneficially	Form	Owner
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		-	(Month/	(Instr.	(A) or Disposed of							Following	ative	
		Year)	Day/	8)								Reported	Security:	
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Stock		03/11/03		J	85					85				
Units														
Stock		04/07/03		M		<b>1,127</b> (1)			COMMON	1,127	(2)	12,400	D	
Units									SHARES					

Explanation of Responses:

By: /s/ Robert E. Veillette, Attorney-In-Fact 04/09/03
Date

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed.

If space is insufficient, See Instruction 6 for procedure.

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<sup>(1)</sup> Distribution in accordance with terms of Nordson's Deferred Compensation Plan wherein reporting person ceased to be a Director on 03/07/02.

<sup>(2)</sup> Stock units accrued through Nordson's Deferred Compensation Plan as of 04/07/03 and have accrued on a periodic basis. Receipt of stock is not permissible until Director ceases to be a Director.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Signature of Reporting Person

<sup>\*\*</sup>Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).