

NORDSTROM INC  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
NORDSTROM ERIK B

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O NORDSTROM, INC., 1617  
SIXTH AVENUE

(Street)

SEATTLE, WA 98101

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
NORDSTROM INC [JWN]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
02/18/2005

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)

Executive Vice President

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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**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	02/18/2005		M		2,106	A	\$ 25.688
Common Stock	02/18/2005		M		2,630	A	\$ 20.563
Common Stock	02/18/2005		M		2,342	A	\$ 23.094
Common Stock	02/18/2005		M		1,786	A	\$ 30.281
Common Stock	02/18/2005		M		14,914	A	\$ 29

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Common Stock	02/18/2005	M	5,519	A	\$ 39.563	981,817	D	
Common Stock	02/18/2005	M	28,604	A	\$ 39.563	1,010,421	D	
Common Stock	02/18/2005	S	57,901	D	\$ 53.081	952,520	D	
Common Stock	02/18/2005	D	<u>4,337</u> (1)	D	\$ 48.25	948,183	D	
Common Stock						7,760	I	By 401(k) Plan, per Plan statement dated 1/31/05
Common Stock						17,280	I	By wife
Common Stock						12,354	I	By self as trustee for benefit of child
Common Stock						10,258	I	By self as trustee for benefit of child
Common Stock						8,222	I	By self as trustee for benefit of child

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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**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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
							Title
				Code V	(A) (D)		

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					Date Exercisable	Expiration Date		Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 25.688	02/18/2005	M	2,106	<u>(2)</u>	05/21/2006	Common Stock	2,106
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 20.563	02/18/2005	M	2,630	<u>(3)</u>	11/19/2006	Common Stock	2,630
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 23.094	02/18/2005	M	2,342	<u>(4)</u>	05/20/2007	Common Stock	2,342
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 30.281	02/18/2005	M	1,786	<u>(5)</u>	11/18/2007	Common Stock	1,786
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 29	02/18/2005	M	14,914	<u>(6)</u>	02/26/2008	Common Stock	14,914
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 39.563	02/18/2005	M	5,519	<u>(7)</u>	02/25/2009	Common Stock	5,519
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 39.563	02/18/2005	M	28,604	<u>(8)</u>	02/25/2009	Common Stock	28,604

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
NORDSTROM ERIK B C/O NORDSTROM, INC.			Executive Vice President	

1617 SIXTH AVENUE  
SEATTLE, WA 98101

## Signatures

Duane E. Adams, Attorney-in-Fact for Erik B.  
Nordstrom

02/23/2005

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* 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).
- (1) Pursuant to an election to settle the reporting person's Performance Rights in cash. The Performance Rights were previously approved by the issuer's Compensation Committee.
- (2) Exercisable in four equal annual installments commencing 5/21/97.
- (3) Exercisable in four equal annual installments commencing 11/19/97.
- (4) Exercisable in four equal annual installments commencing 5/20/98.
- (5) Exercisable in four equal annual installments commencing 11/18/98.
- (6) Exercisable in four equal annual installments commencing 2/26/99.
- (7) Exercisable in four equal annual installments commencing 2/25/00.
- (8) Exercisable in four equal annual installments commencing 2/25/00.

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