

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * <u>ONEAL JAMES R</u>  (Last) (First) (Middle) <u>C/O NORDSTROM, INC.</u> <u>1617 SIXTH AVENUE</u>  (Street) <u>SEATTLE WA 98101</u>  (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>NORDSTROM INC [ JWN ]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) <u>Executive Vice President</u>
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>03/04/2004</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

**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	03/04/2004		M		1,958	A	\$21.94	6,712	D	
Common Stock	03/04/2004		M		2,484	A	\$23.09	9,196	D	
Common Stock	03/04/2004		M		14,824	A	\$21.25	24,020	D	
Common Stock	03/04/2004		M		5,131	A	\$19	29,151	D	
Common Stock	03/04/2004		M		8,431	A	\$17.7	37,582	D	
Common Stock	03/04/2004		S		32,828	D	\$39.8	4,754	D	
Common Stock								3,687	I	By 401(k) Plan, per Plan statement dated 2/29/04
Common Stock	03/04/2004		M		1,224	A	\$21.94	1,872	I	By wife
Common Stock	03/04/2004		M		1,562	A	\$23.09	3,434	I	By wife
Common Stock	03/04/2004		M		6,882	A	\$21.25	10,316	I	By wife
Common Stock	03/04/2004		M		1,579	A	\$19	11,895	I	By wife
Common Stock	03/04/2004		M		1,921	A	\$17.7	13,816	I	By wife
Common Stock	03/04/2004		S		13,168	D	\$39.8	648	I	By wife
Common Stock								898	I	By wife in 401(k) Plan, per Plan statement dated 2/29/04

**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					

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				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$21.94	03/04/2004		M			1,958	(1)	05/17/2004	Common Stock	1,958	\$0	0	D	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$23.09	03/04/2004		M			2,484	(2)	05/20/2007	Common Stock	2,484	\$0	0	D	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$21.25	03/04/2004		M			14,824	(3)	02/22/2010	Common Stock	14,824	\$0	0	D	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$19	03/04/2004		M			5,131	(4)	02/27/2011	Common Stock	5,131	\$0	15,395	D	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$17.7	03/04/2004		M			8,431	(5)	02/18/2013	Common Stock	8,431	\$0	25,290	D	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$21.94	03/04/2004		M			1,224	(1)	05/17/2004	Common Stock	1,224	\$0	0	I	By wife
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$23.09	03/04/2004		M			1,562	(2)	05/20/2007	Common Stock	1,562	\$0	0	I	By wife
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$21.25	03/04/2004		M			6,882	(3)	02/22/2010	Common Stock	6,882	\$0	0	I	By wife
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$19	03/04/2004		M			1,579	(4)	02/27/2011	Common stock	1,579	\$0	4,737	I	By wife
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$17.7	03/04/2004		M			1,921	(5)	02/18/2013	Common Stock	1,921	\$0	5,762	I	By wife

**Explanation of Responses:**

- The option vested and became exercisable in four equal annual installments commencing on 5/17/95.
- The option vested and became exercisable in four equal annual installments commencing on 5/20/98.
- The option vested and became exercisable in four equal annual installments commencing on 2/22/01.
- The option vested and became exercisable in four equal annual installments commencing on 2/27/02.
- The option vested and became exercisable in four equal annual installments commencing on 2/18/04.

**Remarks:**

Duane E. Adams, Attorney-in-Fact for James R. O'Neal      03/08/2004

\*\* 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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