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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP**

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

<b>1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*</b> <u>NORDSTROM JOHN N</u>  (Last) (First) (Middle) <u>C/O NORDSTROM, INC.</u> <u>1617 SIXTH AVENUE</u>  (Street) <u>SEATTLE WA 98101</u>  (City) (State) (Zip)	<b>2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol</b> <u>NORDSTROM INC [ JWN ]</u>  <b>3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)</b> <u>08/25/2003</u>  <b>4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)</b> <u>08/26/2003</u>	<b>5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer</b> (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)  <b>6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than 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	08/25/2003		S		500	D	\$24.61	10,021,852 <sup>(1)(2)(3)(4)(5)(6)</sup>	I	See <sup>(7)</sup>
Common Stock	08/25/2003		S		6,700	D	\$24.6	10,015,152 <sup>(1)(2)(3)(4)(5)(6)</sup>	I	See <sup>(7)</sup>
Common Stock	08/25/2003		S		2,800	D	\$24.66	10,012,352 <sup>(1)(2)(3)(4)(5)(6)</sup>	I	See <sup>(7)</sup>
Common Stock	08/25/2003		S		1,500	D	\$24.51	10,010,852 <sup>(1)(2)(3)(4)(5)(6)</sup>	I	See <sup>(7)</sup>
Common Stock	08/25/2003		S		6,200	D	\$24.65	10,004,652 <sup>(1)(2)(3)(4)(5)(6)</sup>	I	See <sup>(7)</sup>
Common Stock	08/25/2003		S		3,500	D	\$24.5	10,001,152 <sup>(1)(2)(3)(4)(5)(6)</sup>	I	See <sup>(7)</sup>
Common Stock	08/25/2003		S		50,000	D	\$24.72	9,951,152 <sup>(1)(2)(3)(4)(5)(6)</sup>	I	See <sup>(7)</sup>
Common Stock	08/25/2003		S		100	D	\$24.63	9,951,052 <sup>(1)(2)(3)(4)(5)(6)</sup>	I	See <sup>(7)</sup>
Common Stock	08/25/2003		S		1,700	D	\$24.62	9,949,352 <sup>(1)(2)(3)(4)(5)(6)</sup>	I	See <sup>(7)</sup>
Common Stock	08/25/2003		S		1,000	D	\$24.57	9,948,352 <sup>(1)(2)(3)(4)(5)(6)</sup>	I	See <sup>(7)</sup>
Common Stock	08/25/2003		S		2,000	D	\$24.59	9,946,352 <sup>(1)(2)(3)(4)(5)(6)</sup>	I	See <sup>(7)</sup>
Common Stock	08/25/2003		S		3,000	D	\$24.52	9,943,352 <sup>(1)(2)(3)(4)(5)(6)</sup>	I	See <sup>(7)</sup>
Common Stock	08/25/2003		S		1,000	D	\$24.48	9,942,352 <sup>(1)(2)(3)(4)(5)(6)</sup>	I	See <sup>(7)</sup>
Common Stock	08/25/2003		S		3,000	D	\$24.47	9,939,352 <sup>(1)(2)(3)(4)(5)(6)</sup>	I	See <sup>(7)</sup>
Common Stock	08/25/2003		S		2,000	D	\$24.53	9,937,352 <sup>(1)(2)(3)(4)(5)(6)</sup>	I	See <sup>(7)</sup>
Common Stock	08/25/2003		S		1,000	D	\$24.58	9,936,352 <sup>(1)(2)(3)(4)(5)(6)</sup>	I	See <sup>(7)</sup>
Common Stock	08/25/2003		S		1,000	D	\$24.55	9,935,352 <sup>(1)(2)(3)(4)(5)(6)</sup>	I	See <sup>(7)</sup>
Common Stock	08/25/2003		S		1,000	D	\$24.56	9,934,352 <sup>(1)(2)(3)(4)(5)(6)</sup>	I	See <sup>(7)</sup>
Common Stock	08/25/2003		S		1,000	D	\$24.55	9,933,352 <sup>(1)(2)(3)(4)(5)(6)</sup>	I	See <sup>(7)</sup>
Common Stock	08/25/2003		S		1,000	D	\$24.68	9,932,352 <sup>(1)(2)(3)(4)(5)(6)</sup>	I	See <sup>(7)</sup>
Common Stock	08/25/2003		S		1,000	D	\$24.69	9,931,352 <sup>(1)(2)(3)(4)(5)(6)</sup>	I	See <sup>(7)</sup>
Common Stock	08/25/2003		S		2,000	D	\$24.7	9,929,352 <sup>(1)(2)(3)(4)(5)(6)</sup>	I	See <sup>(7)</sup>
Common Stock	08/25/2003		S		2,000	D	\$24.71	9,927,352 <sup>(1)(2)(3)(4)(5)(6)</sup>	I	See <sup>(7)</sup>
Common Stock	08/25/2003		S		30,000	D	\$24.705	9,897,352 <sup>(1)(2)(3)(4)(5)(6)</sup>	I	See <sup>(7)</sup>
Common Stock	08/25/2003		S		30,000	D	\$24.7144	9,867,352 <sup>(1)(2)(3)(4)(5)(6)</sup>	I	See <sup>(7)</sup>
Common Stock	08/25/2003		S		30,000	D	\$24.7662	9,837,352 <sup>(1)(2)(3)(4)(5)(6)</sup>	I	See <sup>(7)</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	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				

**Explanation of Responses:**

1. Excludes 590,767 shares owned directly by the reporting person.
2. Excludes 161,610 shares owned by the reporting person's wife.
3. Excludes 2,780,000 shares owned by the John N. Nordstrom Interests L.P. ("JNN LP"), a limited partnership of which the reporting person is a general partner. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of shares held by the JNN LP except to the extent of his pecuniary interest.
4. Excludes 2,006 shares held by the reporting person as trustee for the benefit of Beck Thomas Nordstrom.
5. Excludes 2,006 shares held by the reporting person as trustee for the benefit of Haley K. Nordstrom.
6. Excludes 10,000 shares owned by the estate of Katharine J. Nordstrom, of which the reporting person is the executor.
7. By the Elmer & Katharine Nordstrom Family Interests L.P. ("Family LP"), a limited partnership of which JNN LP is a general partner. The reporting person 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    08/28/2003

\*\* 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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