FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| Name and Address of Reporting Person* Martin-Vachon Anne | | | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NORDSTROM INC [JWN] | | | | | | | | | | all app Direct | olicable) ctor er (give title | Othe | Owner r (specify |
|--|--|---------|------|-------|--|---|---|---------------------------------|--|---|--------------------|---|-----------------|--|------------------|-------------------|---|---|--|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) C/O NORDSTROM, INC. 1617 SIXTH AVENUE | | | | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/20/2012 | | | | | | | | | | belov E | , | belov Vice Presiden | , |
| (Street) SEATTLE WA 98101 | | | | 4. If | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | | | Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | | | |
| (City) | (St | ate) (2 | Zip) | | | | | | | | | | | | | Peis | OII | | |
| Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date) | | | | | | Execution Date, | | | | | | ties Acquired (A) d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 | | | 4 and Sec Bei | | ount of ities icially d Following | 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 | | Transa | action(s) 3 and 4) | | (111341. 4) |
| Common Stock 05/20/2 | | | | | | /2012 | | | | | 2,595(1 | 1) D \$48 | | \$48 | .89 | 89 23,823 | | D | |
| | 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) | vative Conversion or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any | | | Date, | 4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | | 5. Nur of Derive Secur Acqui (A) or Dispo of (D) (Instr. and 5 | ative rities ired osed | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4) | | | | | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4) | Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
| | | | | | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisa | | Expiration Date | Title | or Nur of | ount mber ires | | | | | |

Explanation of Responses:

1. Withholding of shares to satisfy tax obligation on vesting of restricted shares.

Remarks:

Paula McGee, Attorney-in-Fact 05/22/2012 for Anne Martin-Vachon

** 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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