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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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, .					uer Name Istrom, In			or Tra	I	6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
(Last) c/o Nordstron 1617 Sixth Av	c	3. I.R.S. Identification Number of Reporting Person, if an entity (voluntary)					4. Statement for Month/Day/Year 2/18/03			Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)				
												Executive Vice President		
	(Street)								5. If Amendment, Date of Original			7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)		
Seattle, Wash	ington 9810	1							(Month/D	ay/Yea]	∑ Form filed by One Reporting Person _ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(Cit	ty) (State)	(Zip)			Table I	No	n-Deri	ivative	Securities	Acqui	red, Dispos	sed of, or Beneficially Owned		
Security action Execution action (Instr. 3) Date Date, Code			3. Tra action Code (Instr	n	4. Securit Acquired Disposed (Instr. 3,	(A) of (E	or O)	Securi Benefi	Amount of 6. Securities sheneficially Downed Follow-			7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
	Day/ Year)	(Month/Day/ Year)	Code	e V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	ing Reported Transactions((Instr. 3 & 4)		ctions(s)				
Common Stock										3,224	D			
Common Stock										3,057	I	By 401(k) Plan, per Plan statement dated 1/31/03		

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**

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

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1. Title of	2. Conver-	3.	3A.	4.	5. Number	6. Date Exercisable	7. Title and	8. Price of	9. Number of	10.	11. Nature		
Derivative	sion or	Trans-	Deemed	Trans-	of	and Expiration	Amount of	Derivative	Derivative	Owner-	of Indirect		
Security	Exercise	action	Execution	action	Derivative	Date	Underlying	Security	Securities	ship	Beneficial		
	Price of	Date	Date,	Code	Securities	(Month/Day/	Securities	(Instr. 5)	Beneficially	Form	Ownership		

^{*} If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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` ′		(Month/ Day/	if any (Month/ Day/ Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquire (A) or Dispose of (D) (Instr. 3	ed	Year)		(Instr. 3 & 4)		Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect	(Instr. 4)	
				Code	(A)		Exer-cisable	Expira- tion Date		Amount or Number of Shares			(I) (Instr. 4)	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$17.70	2/18/03		A	17,902		(1)		Common Stock	17,902		17,902	D	

Explanation of Responses:

(1) Granted under the Nordstrom, Inc. 1997 Employee Stock Option Plan, exercisable in four equal annual installments commencing 2/18/04

By: /s/ <u>Duane E. Adams, Attorney-in-Fact for Linda Toschi</u> <u>2/20/03</u> <u>Finn</u> Date

**Signature of Reporting Person

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