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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Meden Scott A			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NORDSTROM INC [JWN]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last) (First) (N		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check an applicable)		
			(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner		
C/O NORDSTROM, INC., 1700 SEVENTH AVENUE			02/22/2012	X Officer (give title Other (specify below)		
				Executive Vice President		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line)		
SEATTLE, W	A 98101			_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-D	Derivative	Secui	rities Acq	uired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8) (A) or			d of (D) 5)	5. Amount of Securities Ownership Beneficially Form: Direct Owned (D) or Following Indirect (I) Reported (Instr. 4) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	02/22/2012		Code V M	Amount 1,040	(D)	Price \$ 8.85	15,509 (1)	D	
Common Stock	02/22/2012		M	3,324	A	\$ 19.56	18,833	D	
Common Stock	02/22/2012		S	4,364	D	\$ 52.62	14,469	D	
Common Stock							3,609.21	I	By 401(k) Plan, per Plan Statement

dates

1/31/2012

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	Secu Secu Acqu or D of (I	vative urities uired (A) isposed D) r. 3, 4,	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 52.63	02/22/2012		A	0 (2)		(3)	02/22/2022	Common Stock	0 (2)
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 8.85	02/22/2012		M		1,040	<u>(4)</u>	02/18/2013	Common Stock	1,040
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 19.56	02/22/2012		M		3,324	(5)	02/25/2014	Common Stock	3,324

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
FS	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
Meden Scott A C/O NORDSTROM, INC. 1700 SEVENTH AVENUE SEATTLE, WA 98101			Executive Vice President					

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/s/Paula McGee, Attorney-in-Fact for Scott A. Meden

02/23/2012

**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) Includes 278 shares acquired on March 31, 2011 and 284 shares acquired on September 30, 2011 under the Employee Stock Purchase

The number of options granted is not known at this time. The number is calculated as a function of base pay, a long-term incentive (LTI) percentage and the fair value of the option. The Binomial Lattice option valuation model will be used to estimate the fair value of the

- (2) option. This model requires the input of certain assumptions, including risk-free interest rate, volatility, dividend yield, and expected life. The formula for determining the number of options granted is: number of options = (base pay x LTI%) / option fair value. This Form 4 will be amended to report the number of options granted when that number has been calculated.
- (3) Granted under the issuer's 2010 Equity Incentive Plan, exercisable in four equal annual installments commencing on 2/22/2013.
- (4) Exercisable in four equal annual installments commencing 2/18/04.
- (5) Exercisable in four equal annual installments commencing 2/25/05.

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