

NORDSTROM ERIK B  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
NORDSTROM ERIK B

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
NORDSTROM INC [JWN]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
C/O NORDSTROM, INC., 1617  
SIXTH AVENUE  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
02/27/2012

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
Executive Vice President

SEATTLE, WA 98101

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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(City) (State) (Zip)

**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)
Common Stock	02/27/2012		M	(A) or (D) A	31,148 (1) \$ 8.85	1,927,157	D
Common Stock	02/27/2012		S	(A) or (D) D	31,148 (2) \$ 53.9888	1,896,009	D
Common Stock					18,578.2	I	By 401(k) Plan, per Plan statement dated 1/31/2012

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Common Stock	40,986	I	By wife
Common Stock	31,134	I	By self as trustee for benefit of child
Common Stock	26,942	I	By self as trustee for benefit of child
Common Stock	22,870	I	By self as trustee for benefit of child

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. 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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 8.85	02/27/2012		M	31,148 (1)	(3) 02/18/2013	Common Stock	31,148

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
NORDSTROM ERIK B C/O NORDSTROM, INC.	X		Executive Vice President	

1617 SIXTH AVENUE  
SEATTLE, WA 98101

## Signatures

Paula McGee, Attorney-in-Fact for Erik B.  
Nordstrom

02/29/2012

\_\_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) The option exercise and sales reported herein are pursuant to a 10b5-1 Trading Plan entered into on 2/25/11.

The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$53.90 to \$54.01, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to Nordstrom, Inc., any security holder of Nordstrom, Inc., or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in footnote 2 to this Form 4.

(3) Exercisable in four equal annual installments commencing on 2/18/2004

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