DILLARDS INC

Form 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * DILLARD MIKE			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol DILLARDS INC [DDS]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(===== an application)			
1600 CANTRELL ROAD			(Month/Day/Year) 12/08/2004	_X_ Director _X_ 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) Executive Vice President			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
LITTLE ROCK, AR 72201			Filed(Month/Day/Year)				

(City)	(State)	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securion(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	ed of (D)	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 Class A	12/08/2004		A	47	A	\$ 26.05	318,021	D	
Common Class A							21,874	D	
Dillard's Capital Trust 1 7.5% Capital Securities							3,885	D	
							41,496	D	

Common Class A

Common 3,985,776 D Class B

Common Owned by I 335 Class A Spouse

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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)	4. Transact Code (Instr. 8)	5. ionNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	.	ate	7. Title Amount Underly Securiti (Instr. 3	t of ring es	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title N	Number		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Keiationsnips							
•	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
DILLARD MIKE								
1600 CANTRELL ROAD	X	X	Executive Vice President					
LITTLE ROCK, AR 72201								

Signatures

Mike Dillard 12/08/2004 **Signature of Date Reporting Person

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).

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Remarks:

Common Class A 21,874 Shares in Dillard's 401K Plan

Common Class A 41,496 Shares By W.D Company. Reporting person owns 26.27% interest in W.D. Co.. This is W.D. Common Class B 3,985,776 Shares By W.D. Company. Reporting person owns 26.27% interest in W.D. Co.. This is W.I.

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