

KOPPEL MICHAEL G
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
KOPPEL MICHAEL G

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)
03/12/2012

____ 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) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
| | | | Code | V | Amount (A) or (D) Price | | |
| Common Stock | 03/12/2012 | | M | | 87,214 (1) \$ 8.85 | D | |
| Common Stock | 03/12/2012 | | S | | 87,214 (1) \$ 53.7863 (2) | D | |
| Common Stock | | | | | 5,836.44 | I | By 401(k) Plan, per Plan statement dated 2/29/12 |

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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) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|
| | | | | Code | V (A) (D) | Date Exercisable Expiration Date | Title Amount or Number of Shares |
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 8.85 | 03/12/2012 | | M | 87,214 <u>(1)</u> | <u>(3)</u> 02/18/2013 | Common Stock 87,214 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships |
|---|----------------------------------|
| | Director 10% Owner Officer Other |
| KOPPEL MICHAEL G C/O NORDSTROM, INC. 1617 SIXTH AVENUE SEATTLE, WA 98101 | Executive Vice President |

Signatures

/s/Paula McGee, Attorney-in-Fact for Michael G. Koppel 03/13/2012

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

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

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(1) The option exercise and sales reported herein are pursuant to a 10b5-1 Trading Plan entered into on 2/28/12.

(2) The price reported represents the weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$53.55 to \$54.25, 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.

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(3) Granted under the issuer's 2010 Equity Incentive Plan, exercisable in four equal annual installments commencing on 2/18/2004.

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