

OSBORNE ALFRED E JR  
Form 4  
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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 \*  
OSBORNE ALFRED E JR

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O THE ANDERSON SCHOOL  
AT UCLA, 110 WESTWOOD  
PLAZA, ROOM C305

(Street)

LOS ANGELES, CA 90095

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
08/23/2005

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

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

Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D) Code V Amount (D) Price			
Common Stock					20,102 <sup>(8)</sup>	D	
Common Stock					1,200 <sup>(8)</sup>	I	See <sup>(1)</sup>
Common Stock					4,800 <sup>(8)</sup>	I	See <sup>(2)</sup>
Common Stock					300 <sup>(8)</sup>	I	See <sup>(3)</sup>

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.



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Awarded under the 2002 Nonemployee Director Stock Incentive Plan. The stock units were deferred at the election of the reporting person under the Directors' Deferred Compensation Plan.

- (6) The stock units are convertible into the issuer's common stock and payable upon the occurrence of certain events, including the reporting person's retirement from the issuer's Board of Directors.
- (7) Represents the total number of stock units held by the reporting person under the Directors' Deferred Compensation Plan.
- (8) Reflects two-for-one stock split effective June 30, 2005.

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