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| December 02, 2  | 2004                                    |  |   |            |                       |            |   |   |   |  |
| FORM  | 4                                       |  |   |            |                       |            |   |   | PPROVAL   |  |
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| obligations<br>may continu<br><i>See</i> Instructi<br>1(b).     | Bection 17(a)                           | of the Public Util<br>30(h) of the Inv   | ity Holdir  | ng Comp    | any .                 | Act of     | 1935 or Section   | n   |   |  |
| (Print or Type Res  | ponses)                                 |  |   |            |                       |            |   |   |   |  |
| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u><br>NORD ERIC T |   | Symbol   | -   |            |                       |            | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer                                      |   |   |  |
| (Leet)  |   | NORDSON CORP [NDSN]<br>3. Date of Earliest Transaction<br>(Month/Day/Year)<br>12/01/2004 |   |            |                       | (Chec      | k all applicable)   |   |   |  |
| (Last) (First) (Middle) 28601 CLEMENS ROAD                      |   |  |   |            |                       | (Month/Day | _X_Director _X_10% Owner<br>Officer (give titleOther (specify<br>below)Other (specify |   |   |  |
|   | (Street)                                | 4. If Amend<br>Filed(Month   | lment, Date<br>/Day/Year)   | Original   |                       |            | 6. Individual or Jo<br>Applicable Line)<br>_X_Form filed by 0                         | One Reporting Pe  | erson   |  |
| WESTLAKE,   | OH 44145                                |  |   |            |                       |            | Form filed by M<br>Person   | fore than One Re  | eporting  |  |
| (City)  | (State) (Zi                             | p) <b>Table</b>  | I - Non-Der   | ivative Se | curiti                | es Acq     | uired, Disposed of  | , or Beneficial   | lly Owned   |  |
| 1.Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3)                            | 2. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year)                              | 3.4. SecuritiesTransactionAcquired (A) orCodeDisposed of (D)(Instr. 8)(Instr. 3, 4 and 5) |            |                       | ))         | Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following                                      | 6.<br>Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or<br>Indirect (I) | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |  |
|   |   |  | Code V  | Amount     | (A)<br>or<br>ount (D) |            | Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4)  | (Instr. 4)  |   |  |
| COMMON<br>SHARES  | 12/01/2004                              |  | М   | 1,939      | А                     | \$0        | 1,441,211   | D   |   |  |
| COMMON<br>SHAERS  |   |  |   |            |                       |            | 1,352,088 <u>(1)</u>  | I   | BY<br>SPOUSE  |  |
| COMMON<br>SHAERS  |   |  |   |            |                       |            | 481,340   | Ι   | BY<br>TRUST   |  |

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<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transactic<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 5. Number<br>prof Derivative<br>Securities<br>Acquired<br>(A) or<br>Disposed of<br>(D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4,<br>and 5) | 6. Date Exer<br>Expiration E<br>(Month/Day | ate                | 7. Title and Am<br>Underlying Sec<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |  | 8. P<br>Der<br>Secu<br>(Ins |
|---|---|---|---|--|---|--|--------------------|---|--|-----------------------------|
|   |   |   |   | Code V                                 | (A) (D)   | Date<br>Exercisable                        | Expiration<br>Date | Title   | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares |                             |
| Stock<br>Units                                      | <u>(2)</u>  | 12/01/2004                              |   | М                                      | 1,939<br>(4)  | (3)  | (3)                | COMMON<br>SHARES                                      | 1,939<br>(4)                           |                             |

## **Reporting Owners**

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                          |          | Relationsh |         |       |  |
|---|----------|------------|---------|-------|--|
| I B   | Director | 10% Owner  | Officer | Other |  |
| NORD ERIC T<br>28601 CLEMENS ROAD<br>WESTLAKE, OH 44145 | Х        | Х          |         |       |  |
| Signatures  |          |            |         |       |  |
| Robert E. Veillette,<br>Attorney-In-Fact                |          | 12/02/2004 | 4       |       |  |
| **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) Reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities.
- (2) Security converts into common stock on one-for-one basis.
- (3) Stock Units accrued through Nordson's Directors' Deferred Compensation Plan. Receipt of stock is not permissible until participant ceases to be a Director.
- (4) Distribution in accordance with terms of Nordson's Directors' Deferred Compensation Plan. Reporting person retired 11/8/04.

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