Minuk Jack H Form 3 November 17, 2005 FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549 OMB APPROVAL OMB Number: 3235-0104

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> Minuk Jack H			2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year)	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NORDSTROM INC [JWN]				
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	11/16/2005	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	
C/O NORDSTROM, INC., 1617 SIXTH AVENUE				(Check	all applicable)			
	(Street)			Director 10% C			6. Individual or Joint/Group	
SEATTLE, WA 98101			_X_ Officer Other (give title below) (specify belov Executive Vice Presiden		ow)	Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - N	Non-Derivat	ive Securiti	es Bei	neficially Owned	
1.Title of Secur (Instr. 4)	ity		2. Amount o Beneficially (Instr. 4)		3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nat Owne (Instr.	1	
Common Sto	ock		2,488		D	Â		
Common Stock			2,776	2,776		I By 401(k) Plan, per Plan statement dated 10/31/0		

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

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security	2. Date Exercisable and	3. Title and Amount of	4.	5.	6. Nature of Indirect
(Instr. 4)	Expiration Date	Securities Underlying	Conversion	Ownership	Beneficial Ownership
	(Month/Day/Year)	Derivative Security	or Exercise	Form of	(Instr. 5)

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			(Instr. 4)		Price of	Derivative	
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Derivative Security	Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	(1)	02/27/2011	Common Stock	7,578	\$ 9.5	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	(2)	02/25/2012	Common Stock	18,224	\$ 12.68	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	(3)	02/18/2013	Common Stock	20,808	\$ 8.85	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	(4)	02/25/2014	Common Stock	10,430	\$ 19.56	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	(5)	02/25/2015	Common Stock	9,272	\$ 26.01	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	(6)	02/25/2009	Common Stock	11,830	\$ 19.781	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	(7)	02/26/2008	Common Stock	20,688	\$ 14.5	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	Director 10% Owner Officer		Other			
Minuk Jack H C/O NORDSTROM, INC. 1617 SIXTH AVENUE SEATTLE, WA 98101	Â	Â	Executive Vice President	Â			
Signatures							
/s/ Duane E. Adams, Attorney-in-Fact for Jack H. Minuk			11/17/2005				

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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) Exercisable in four equal annual installments commencing 2/27/02.
- (2) Exercisable in four equal annual installments commencing 2/25/03.
- (3) Exercisable in four equal annual installments commencing 2/18/04.
- (4) Exercisable in four equal annual installments commencing 2/25/05.
- (5) Exercisable in four equal annual installments commencing 2/23/06.
- (6) Exercisable in four equal annual installments commencing 2/25/00.

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Exercisable during the first five years from the date of the grant when the issuer's stock sustained an average price for at least 20

(7) consecutive market days as follows: 20% at an average price of \$40; 35% at an average price of \$47.50; and 45% at an average price of \$55. Thereafter, all unvested options are automatically exercisable 8 years from the date of grant.

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