NORDSON CORP Form 4 February 04, 2003

FORM 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Addres MADAR, WILLIA			e and Ticke CORPORA		_	•	Perso		Relationship of Reporting erson(s) Issuer (Check all applicable)				
(Last) (l	3. I.R.S. Identification Number of Reporting Person, if an entity (voluntary)					atement for th/Day/Year 1/03	10	X Director					
WESTLAKE, OH						5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Day/Year)		7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(State) (Zip)	Table I Non-Derivative					rities Acquired	, Dispose	osed of, or Beneficially Owned			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Trans- action Date (Month/ Day/	Execution Date,	d 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8		4. Securiti (A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4)	es Acq posed o	uired	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Follow	·_	6. Owner- ship Form: Direct (D) or Indirect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
	Year)	(Month/Day/ Year)	Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	ing Reported Transactions(s) (Instr. 3 & 4))	(I) (Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)		
COMMONS SHARES									255,104 <u>(1</u>	D			

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

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FORM 4 (continued) Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially **Owned**

(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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1. Title of	2. Conver-	3. Trans-	3A.	4.	5.	6. Date Exercisable	7. Title and Amount	8. Price of	9. Number of	10.	11. Nature	
Derivative	sion or	action	Deemed	Trans-	Number	and Expiration	of Underlying	Derivative	Derivative	Owner-	of Indirect	
Security	Exercise	Date	Execution	action	of	Date	Securities	Security	Securities	ship	Beneficial	
	Price of		Date,	Code	Derivati	(Month/Day/	(Instr. 3 & 4)	(Instr. 5)	Beneficially	Form	Ownership	
(Instr. 3)	Derivative	(Month/	if any		Securitie	Y ear)			Owned	of Deriv-	(Instr. 4)	
		Day/	(Month/	(Instr.	Acquire	1			Following	ative		
				8)	(A) or				Reported	Security:		
			Year)		Dispose	1			Transaction(s)	Direct		
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					of (Ins 3, 4								(D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	
				Code	V (A)		Exer-cisable	Expira- tion Date		Amount or Number of Shares				
Stock Units	01/3	1/03		J	850	5			COMMON SHARES	856	(2)	14,301	D	

Explanation of Responses:

(1) Includes 2,972 shares thru Co. 401(k) Plan.

(2) Stock units accrued through Nordson's Directors' Deferred Compensation Plan as of 01/31/03. Receipt of stock is not permissible until Director ceases to be a Director or attains age 70, whichever occurs first.

By: /s/ Robert E. Veillette, Attorney-In-Fact 02/04/03
Date

**Signature of Reporting Person

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