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June 06, 2002

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549
FORM 4
STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP
() Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16.
Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instructions 1(b).
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person
GINN, WILLIAM D.
28601 CLEMENS ROAD
WESTLAKE, OH 44145

- 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NORDSON CORPORATION NDSN
- 3. IRS or Social Security Number of Reporting Person (Voluntary)
- 4. Statement for Month/Year 5/31/2002
- 5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Year)
- 6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) (X) Director () 10% Owner () Officer (give title below) () Other (specify below)
- 7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)
 - (X) Form filed by One Reporting Person
 - () Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

Table I	Non-Derivative	Securitie	es Acc	quired, Disposed of	, or	Beneficiall	y Owned	
1. Title	of Security	Transad	ction 	4.Securities Acqu or Disposed of Amount	(D)	'	5.Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at End of Month	
COMMON	SHARES	5/30/2 : 002			D 	\$28.50 	1	
COMMON	SHARES	5/31/2 : 002		•	D 	\$29.00 	 	
COMMON	SHARES	5/31/2 ; 002	S 	700 	D 	\$29.25 	76 , 986 	
COMMON	SHARES		 		 	 	4,764	

1.Title of Derivative	2.Con-	3. 4.	5.Number of De 6.Date Exer 7.Title and Amount	8.F
Security	version	Transactio	rivative Secu cisable and of Underlying	of
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Table II -- Derivative Securitites Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

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	Price of Deriva- tive Secu- rity		 		A/	Day/Year) Date Expir Exer- ation Title and Number cisa- Date of Shares ble	rit
Director Stock Option (right to buy)		5/21/ J 2002	1,010	*		9/13/ 9/13/ COMMON SHARE 1,010 1997 2007 S	
Director Stock Option (right to buy)	\$24.50	5/21/ J 2002	2,400	*		9/12/ 9/12/ COMMON SHAR 2,400 1998 2008 ES	
Director Stock Option (right to buy)		5/21/ J 2002	2,400	*		9/11/ 3/11/ COMMON SHARE 2,400 1999 2009 S	
Director Stock Option (right to buy)		5/21/ J 2002	5,348	*		9/9/2 3/9/2 COMMON SHARE 5,348 000 010 S	
Director Stock Option (right to buy)		5/21/ J 2002	3,958	* (9/8/2 3/8/2 COMMON SHARE 3,958 001 011 S	
Director Stock Option (right to buy)		5/21/ J 2002	3,808	* (9/7/2 9/7/2 COMMON SHARE 3,808 002 012 S	

Explanation of Responses:

* REPORTING PERSON GIFTED AND TRANSFERRED ALL STOCK OPTIONS ISSUED TO HIM TO HIS DAUGHTER, ANNA M. GINN PURSUANT TO PROVISIONS OF PLAN GOVERNING AWARD AND TRANSFER OF NON-QUALIFIED OPTIONS IN ISSUER'S STOCK.

SIGNATURE OF REPORTING PERSON

ROBERT E. VEILLETTE, ATTORNEY-IN-FACT

DATE

6/6/2002