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FORM 4

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

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may continue.

See Instruction

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Ad Hilton Micha	•	rting Person *	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	NORDSON CORP [NDSN] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
28601 CLEM	, ,	, ,	(Month/Day/Year) 01/04/2016	Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) President & CEO			
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
WESTLAKE	,			Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	T-11- I N D C A				

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1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securi	ties A	cquired	5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature of
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	on(A) or D	ispose	d of (D)	Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(Instr. 3,	4 and	5)	Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)				Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership
							Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
					()		Reported		
					(A)		Transaction(s)		
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	01/04/2016		F	1,323	D	\$ 63.35	155,251	D (1)	

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)

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 30.7					<u>(2)</u>	01/16/2020	Common Stock	69,218
Employee Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 43.32					(2)	12/07/2020	Common Stock	50,000
Employee Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 43.73					<u>(2)</u>	11/28/2021	Common Stock	55,000
Employee Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 61.59					<u>(3)</u>	11/28/2022	Common Stock	43,000
Employee Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 71.75					<u>(4)</u>	11/25/2023	Common Stock	42,700
Employee Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 79.66					<u>(5)</u>	11/24/2024	Common Stock	49,100
Employee Stock Options (right to	\$ 70.91					<u>(6)</u>	11/23/2025	Common Stock	72,800

8. Pr Deriv Secu (Inst buy)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Hilton Michael F 28601 CLEMENS ROAD WESTLAKE, OH 44145

President & CEO

Signatures

Robert E. Veillette, Attorney-In-Fact

Date

01/06/2016

**Signature of Reporting Person

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).

Shares withheld to cover withholding taxes due upon settlement of the performance share units that were reported on December 1, 2015.

- The ultimate number of shares earned was subject to adjustment based on actual performance. Including a downward adjustment of 32 shares as a result of actual performance achieved, 18,432 earned shares settled on January 4, 2016. The holdings are net of shares previously withheld or sold to cover withholding taxes.
- (2) All such options have fully vested.
- On November 28, 2012, the Company awarded 43,000 stock options under the Company's Long-Term Performance Plan. The options (3) vest in 4 equal annual installments beginning on November 28, 2013. The vested portions of such options will become exercisable upon vesting.
- On November 25, 2013, the Company awarded 42,700 stock options under the Company's 2012 Stock Incentive and Award Plan. The options vest in 4 equal annual installments beginning on November 25, 2014. The vested portions of such options will become exercisable upon vesting.
- On November 24, 2014, the Company awarded 49,100 stock options under the Company's 2012 Stock Incentive and Award Plan. The options vest in 4 equal annual installments beginning on November 24, 2015. The vested portions of such options will become exercisable upon vesting.
- On November 23, 2015, the Company awarded 72,800 stock options under the Company's 2012 Stock Incentive and Award Plan. The options vest in 4 equal annual installments beginning on November 23, 2016. The vested portions of such options will become exercisable upon vesting.

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