NORDSON CORP Form 8-K February 19, 2010

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

## FORM 8-K

#### **CURRENT REPORT**

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of Earliest Event Reported):	February	16	2010
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## Nordson Corporation

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Ohio	0-7977	34-0590250
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	(Commission File Number)	(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)
28601 Clemens Road, Westlake, Ohio		44145
(Address of principal executive offices)		(Zip Code)
Registrant s telephone number, including	g area code:	440-892-1580
	Not Applicable	
Former na	ame or former address, if changed since l	ast report
Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filithe following provisions:	ing is intended to simultaneously satisfy	the filing obligation of the registrant under any of
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#### Item 5.01 Changes in Control of Registrant.

(b) On February 16, 2010 Nordson Corporation issued a press release within which it announced the retirement of Directors William D. Ginn and Edward P. Campbell. A copy of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report and is incorporated herein by reference.

Mr. Ginn retires after 50 years of service to the company as a director. As previously disclosed, Mr. Campbell retired as President and Chief Executive Officer on January 16, 2010 and continued to serve as Chairman of the Board until the annual meeting of shareholders held on February 16, 2010, at which time he was succeeded as Chairman by current Director Joseph P. Keithley.

#### Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

- c.) Exhibits
- 99.1 Press release dated February 16, 2010

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#### **SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Nordson Corporation

February 19, 2010 By: Robert E. Veillette

Name: Robert E. Veillette

Title: Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary

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Exhibit No.	Description
99.1	Press release of Nordson Corporation dated February 16, 2010