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May 06, 2002

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

FORM 4

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

(X) 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

NORD, EVAN W.

28601 CLEMENS ROAD

WESTLAKE, OH 44145

U.S.A.

 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 4/30/2002
- 5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Year)
- 6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) (X) Director (X) 10% Owner () Officer (give title below) () Other (specify below) RETIRED DIRECTOR
- 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-I	Derivative Securi	ties Acc	quired, Disposed	d of, or Ber	neficiall	y Owned	
1. Title of Secur	Tran 	saction 	4.Securities A or Disposed Amount	of (D)		5.Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at End of Month	
COMMON STOCK	4,095	M	1,095	A -0) —	354,550	
COMMON STOCK	 I					112,493	
COMMON STOCK	 					1,524,000	
COMMON STOCK	ı			1 1		1,000,000	

Table II Derivativ	e Securiti	tes Acquired	d, Disposed of, o	or Beneficially	Owned	
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Security	version	Transaction	rivative Secu	cisable and	of Underlying	of
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	Price of		posed of(D)	Day/Year)		rit
	Deriva-			Date Expir		
	tive		A	/ Exer- ation	Title and Number	

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	Secu- rity	 Date Code V Amount	D cisa- Date of Shares ble
Stock Units	 		D COMMON STOCK 1,095 *

Explanation of Responses:

 * DISTRIBUTION IN ACCORDANCEWITH TERMS OF NORDSON'S DIRECTOR'S DEFERRED COMPENSATION PLAN

WHEREIN REPORTING

PERSON

CEASED TO BE A DIRECTOR ON

3/7/2002.

** STOCK UNITS ACCRUED THROUGH NORDSON'S DIRECTOR'S DEFERRED COMPENSATION PLAN AS OF

4/30/2002 AND HAVE ACCRUED ON

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PERIODIC BASIS. RECEIPT OF STOCK IS NOT PERMISSIBLE UNTIL THE DIRECTOR

CEASES TO BE A DIRECTOR.

SIGNATURE OF REPORTING PERSON

ROBERT E. VEILLETTE, ATTORNEY-IN-FACT

DATE

5/6/2002