NORDSON CORP Form 4 December 16, 2004

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MADAR WILLIAM P			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NORDSON CORP [NDSN]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
(Last)	(Last) (First)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)		
28601 CLE	MENS ROA	D	(Month/Day/Year) 12/15/2004	X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
WESTLAKE, OH 44145			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I. Non Derivative Securities A	Acquired Disposed of an Panaficially Owner		

(City)	(State) (Zi	Table I	- Non-Der	rivative Sec	curities Acqu	iired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securiti	es Acquired	5. Amount of	6.	7. Nature of
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	on(A) or Dis	posed of	Securities	Ownership	Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(D)		Beneficially	Form: Direct	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4	and 5)	Owned	(D) or	Ownership
						Following	Indirect (I)	(Instr. 4)
					(4)	Reported	(Instr. 4)	
					(A)	Transaction(s)		
			Code V	Amount	or (D) Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
COMMON SHARES	12/15/2004		G	23,065	D \$0	224,528 (1)	D	

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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8. Price Derivati Security (Instr. 5

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)	(Month/Day/Year) ative ties red sed 3,		7. Title and Am Underlying Sec (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Units	<u>(2)</u>					(3)	(3)	COMMON SHARES	<u>(3)</u>

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
1 8	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
MADAR WILLIAM P 28601 CLEMENS ROAD WESTLAKE, OH 44145	X						

Signatures

Robert E. Veillette, Attorney-In-Fact

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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).
- (1) Includes 3,107 shares owned through Company 401(k) Plan.
- (2) Security converts into common stock on one-for-one basis.
- (3) Stock Units accrued through Nordson's Directors' Deferred Compensation Plan. Receipt of stock is not permissible until participant ceases to be a Director or reaches age 70, whichever occurs first.

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