NORDSON CORP Form 4

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading DeVries James E Issuer Symbol NORDSON CORP [NDSN] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title 28601 CLEMENS ROAD 01/04/2016 below) below) Vice President (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting WESTLAKE, OH 44145 Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: Direct Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) Ownership (Instr. 8) Owned (D) or Following Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) Reported (Instr. 4) (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price Common 01/04/2016 F 827 D 32,393 $D^{(1)}$ 63.35 Stock By Common Company

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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$\label{thm:convergence} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (\emph{e.g.}, puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \\ \end{tabular}$

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 Derivativ Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Expiration D (Month/Day.e	. 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)	\$ 24.46					(3)	12/06/2016	Common Stock	5,000	
Employee Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 26.46					(3)	12/05/2017	Common Stock	5,000	
Employee Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 14.37					(3)	12/04/2018	Common Stock	5,800	
Employee Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 27.26					(3)	12/03/2019	Common Stock	3,500	
Employee Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 43.32					(3)	12/07/2020	Common Stock	4,000	
Employee Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 43.73					(3)	11/28/2021	Common Stock	6,000	
	\$ 61.59					<u>(4)</u>	11/28/2022		4,500	

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Employee Stock Options (right to buy)				Common Stock	
Employee Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 71.75	<u>(5)</u>	11/25/2023	Common Stock	5,200
Employee Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 79.66	<u>(6)</u>	11/24/2024	Common Stock	5,800
Employee Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 70.91	<u>(7)</u>	11/23/2025	Common Stock	9,100

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
Fg	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
DeVries James E						
28601 CLEMENS ROAD			Vice President			
WESTLAKE, OH 44145						

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).

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

- (1) The ultimate number of shares earned was subject to adjustment based on actual performance. Including a downward adjustment of 4 shares as a result of actual performance achieved, 2,189 earned shares settled on January 4, 2016. The holdings are net of shares previously withheld or sold to cover withholding taxes.
- Represents the number of shares attributable to the reporting person's participation in the Company Stock Fund of the Nordson Employee (2) Stock Ownership Plan, exempt pursuant to Rule 16b-3(c). The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities. Holdings are corrected due to a scrivener error in the December 1, 2015 reporting.
- (3) All such options have fully vested.
- (4) On November 28, 2012, the Company awarded 4,500 stock options under the Company's Long-Term Performance Plan. The options vest in 4 equal annual installments beginning on November 28, 2013. The vested portions of such options will become exercisable upon

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vesting.

- On November 25, 2013, the Company awarded 5,200 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 5,800 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 9,100 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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