NORDSON CORP Form 4 January 13, 2009

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

1(b).

See Instruction

DUNN ROBERT A JR Issuer Symbol NORDSON CORP [NDSN] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify 28601 CLEMENS ROAD 01/09/2009 below) Sr. Vice President

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

(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

(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 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Code Disposed of (D) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Indirect (I) Ownership (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price Common

17,393 (1) D Shares

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day)	ate	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Share Equivalent Unit	(2)	01/09/2009		A	7,689	(3)	(3)	Common Shares	7,689

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Director 10% Owner Officer Other

DUNN ROBERT A JR 28601 CLEMENS ROAD WESTLAKE, OH 44145

Sr. Vice President

Signatures

Robert E. Veillette, Attorney-In-Fact

01/13/2009

**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).
- Includes 966 shares owned through Company Dividend Reinvestment Plan; 2,156 shares owned through Company ESOP Plan; and 261 **(1)** shares owned through Company Excess Retirement Plan.
- Share Equivalent Units acquired through deferral of performance shares awarded under 2004 Long Term Performance Plan. Deferrals are **(2)** made to the Nordson Stock Measurement Fund of the 2005 Deferred Compensation Plan.
- Share Equivalent Units are settled in common shares at termination of employment or retirement subject to delayed distribution rules of (3) Internal Revenue Code Section 409(A).
- (4) Fair market value of common shares on settlement date (January 9, 2009) was \$33.33 per share.

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