NORDSTROM INC Form 8-K February 19, 2004

| SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549 | | |
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| FORM 8-K | | |
| CURRENT REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934 | | |
| DATE OF REPORT (DATE OF EARLIEST EVENT REPORTED) FEBRUARY 19, 2004 | | |
| NORDSTROM, INC. (EXACT NAME OF REGISTRANT AS SPECIFIED IN ITS CHARTER) | | |
| WASHINGTON | 001-15059 | 91-0515058 |
| (STATE OR OTHER JURISDICTION OF INCORPORATION) | (COMMISSION FILE NUMBER) | (I.R.S. EMPLOYER IDENTIFICATION NO.) |
| 1617 SIXTH AVENUE, SEATTLE, WASHINGTON 98101 (ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL EXECUTIVE OFFICES) (ZIP CODE) | | |
| REGISTRANT'S TELEPHONE NUMBER, INCLUDING AREA CODE (206) 628-2111 | | |
| INAPPLICABLE (FORMER NAME OR FORMER ADDRESS IF CHANGED SINCE LAST REPORT) | | |
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ITEM 7. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS, PROFORMA FINANCIAL INFORMATION AND EXHIBITS

(C) EXHIBITS

99.1 Nordstrom earnings release dated February 19, 2004 relating to the Company's results of operations for the quarter and year ended January 31, 2004.

ITEM 12. RESULTS OF OPERATIONS AND FINANCIAL CONDITION

On February 19, 2004, Nordstrom, Inc. issued a press release announcing its results of operations for the quarter and year ended January 31, 2004. A copy of this press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1.

SIGNATURE

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.

NORDSTROM, INC.

By: /s/ David L. Mackie

David L. Mackie Vice President and Corporate Secretary

Dated: February 19, 2004

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