NORDSTROM INC Form 8-K September 04, 2008

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549 FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE

SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

DATE OF REPORT (DATE OF EARLIEST EVENT REPORTED) September 4, 2008 NORDSTROM, INC.

(EXACT NAME OF REGISTRANT AS SPECIFIED IN ITS CHARTER)

WASHINGTON 001-15059 91-0515058 (STATE OR OTHER (COMMISSION FILE (I.R.S. EMPLOYER

JURISDICTION

OF INCORPORATION) NUMBER) IDENTIFICATION NO.)

1617 SIXTH AVENUE, SEATTLE, 98101

WASHINGTON

(ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL EXECUTIVE (ZIP CODE)

OFFICES)

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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On September 4, 2008, Nordstrom, Inc. issued a press release announcing its preliminary August 2008 sales. A copy of this press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1.

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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/ Daniel F. Little
Daniel F. Little

Executive Vice President and Chief Administrative Officer

Dated: September 4, 2008

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NUMBER DESCRIPTION

99.1 Nordstrom August 2008 Preliminary Sales Release, dated September 4, 2008.

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(Instr. 8)5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)

(Instr. 3, 4, and 5)6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date

(Month/Day/Year)7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities

(Instr. 3 and 4)8. Price of Derivative Security

(Instr. 5)9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)

(Instr. 4)10. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)

(Instr. 4)11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership

(Instr. 4)CodeV(A)(D)Date ExercisableExpiration DateTitleAmount or Number of Shares Phantom Stock (1)03/31/2016 A 168 (2)

(1) (1) Common Stock 168 \$ 40.42 26,805 D

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Lewis Lemuel E C/O OWENS & MINOR, INC. 9120 LOCKWOOD BOULEVARD MECHANICSVILLE, VA 23116

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Signatures

Lemuel E. Lewis by Rosemarie W. France, POA

04/01/2016

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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- * 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).
 - The shares of phantom stock are convertible on a 1-for-1 basis and become payable, in cash or common stock, at the election of the
- (1) reporting person, upon the occurrence of one of the following (as elected in advance by the reporting person): (a) death, (b) disability, (c) termination of service as director, (d) specified future delivery date, or (e) the earliest to occur of (a), (b), (c) or (d).
- (2) Shares acquired through quarterly dividend reinvestment transaction.

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