NORDSTROM INC Form 8-K May 07, 2003		
	RITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMIS. WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549	
	FORM 8-K	
CURRENT REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934		
DATE OF REPORT (DA	ATE OF EARLIEST EVENT REPO	RTED) MAY 7, 2003
	NORDSTROM, INC. DF REGISTRANT AS SPECIFIED	
WASHINGTON	0-6074	91-0515058
(STATE OR OTHER JURISDICTION OF INCORPORATION)	N (COMMISSION FILE NUMBER)	(I.R.S. EMPLOYER IDENTIFICATION NO.)
	NUE, SEATTLE, WASHINGTON NCIPAL EXECUTIVE OFFICES)	
REGISTRANT'S TELEPHONE	E NUMBER, INCLUDING AREA C	ODE (206) 628-2111
	INAPPLICABLE RMER ADDRESS IF CHANGED SI	

- ITEM 7. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS, PROFORMA FINANCIAL INFORMATION AND EXHIBITS
- (C) EXHIBITS
- 99.1 Nordstrom April 2003 Preliminary Sales and 2003 First Quarter Guidance Release, dated May 7, 2003.

ITEM 9. REGULATION FD DISCLOSURE AND ITEM 12. RESULTS OF OPERATIONS AND

FINANCIAL CONDITION

On May 7, 2003, Nordstrom, Inc. issued a press release announcing its preliminary April 2003 sales and earnings guidance for the first quarter of 2003. 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/ Michael P. Dent

Michael P. Dent Divisional Vice President and Corporate Controller

Dated: May 7, 2003

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