

PEET SHELLY  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**PEET SHELLY**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**NORDSON CORP [NDSN]**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

(Check all applicable)

**28601 CLEMENS ROAD**

**01/03/2018**

\_\_\_\_ Director  
\_\_\_\_ Officer (give title below)  
\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)

Vice President

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

**WESTLAKE, OH 44145**

Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V Amount (A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	12/19/2017		G	V 35 D \$ 0	43,362	D <sup>(1)</sup>	
Common Stock	01/03/2018		S	14,192 D \$ 148.81	29,170	D	
Common Stock	01/03/2018		F	977 D \$ 149.12	28,193	D <sup>(3)</sup>	
Common Stock	01/04/2018		S	808 D \$ 150.52	27,412	D <sup>(5)</sup>	

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Common Stock								By Company ESOP Plan <u>(6)</u>	
Common Stock	01/04/2018		I	1,433	D	\$ 150.18	0	I <u>(7)</u>	By Company Savings Plan <u>(8)</u>

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)

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. Transaction Code (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. Pri Deriv Secur (Instr	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 43.32					<u>(9)</u>	12/07/2020	Common Stock	5,600
Employee Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 43.73					<u>(9)</u>	11/28/2021	Common Stock	6,000
Employee Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 61.59					<u>(9)</u>	11/28/2022	Common Stock	5,000
	\$ 71.75					<u>(9)</u>	11/25/2023		5,200

Employee Stock Options (right to buy)				Common Stock	
Employee Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 79.66	(10)	11/24/2024	Common Stock	5,800
Employee Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 70.91	(11)	11/23/2025	Common Stock	9,100
Employee Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 107.65	(12)	11/21/2026	Common Stock	6,600
Employee Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 127.67	(13)	11/20/2027	Common Stock	6,500

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
PEET SHELLY 28601 CLEMENS ROAD WESTLAKE, OH 44145			Vice President	

## Signatures

Gina A. Beredo,  
Attorney-in-Fact

01/05/2018

\*\*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).
- (1) On each of December 19, 2017 and December 20, 2017, the reporting person made a gift of shares for a cumulative total of 35 shares gifted. For tax purposes, the value date of the shares delivered is each respective date a gift was made.
- (2) Price reflected is the weighted-average sale price for shares sold. The shares were sold in multiple transactions, and the range of sale prices for the transactions reported was \$148.60 to \$149.10. The reporting person undertakes to provide to the issuer, any security holder

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of the issuer, or any staff member of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.

- (3) Shares withheld to cover withholding taxes due upon settlement of the performance share units that were reported on December 4, 2017. The holdings are net of shares previously withheld or sold to cover withholding taxes.
- Price reflected is the weighted-average sale price for shares sold. The shares were sold in multiple transactions, and the range of sale prices for the transactions reported was \$150.40 to \$150.59. The reporting person undertakes to provide to the issuer, any security holder of the issuer, or any staff member of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- (4) The holdings include 27 shares acquired through dividend payments and participation in the Company's Dividend Reinvestment Plan and are net of shares previously withheld or sold to cover withholding taxes.
- (5) Represents the number of shares attributable to the reporting person's participation in the Company's Employee Stock Ownership Plan, exempt pursuant to Rule 16b-3(c).
- (6) Balance as of January 4, 2018.
- (7) Represents the number of shares attributable to the reporting person's participation in the Company's Savings Plan, exempt pursuant to Rule 16b-3(c).
- (8) All such options have fully vested.
- (9) On November 24, 2014, the Company awarded 12,200 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.
- (10) On November 23, 2015, the Company awarded 17,200 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.
- (11) On November 21, 2016, the Company awarded 6,600 stock options under the Company's 2012 Stock Incentive and Award Plan. The options vest in 4 equal annual installments beginning on November 21, 2017. The vested portions of such options will become exercisable upon vesting.
- (12) On November 20, 2017, the Company awarded 6,500 stock options under the Company's 2012 Stock Incentive and Award Plan. The options vest in 4 equal annual installments beginning on November 20, 2018. The vested portions of such options will become exercisable upon vesting.
- (13)

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