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 Form 4
 April 08, 2002

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
 WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549
 FORM 4

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

(X) Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16.
 Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instructions 1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person
 MESSERLY, JAMES W.
 28601 CLEMENS ROAD
 WESTLAKE, OH 44145
 USA
2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 NORDSON CORPORATION
 NDSN
3. IRS or Social Security Number of Reporting Person (Voluntary)
4. Statement for Month/Year
 3/31/2002
5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Year)
6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)
 Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other
 (specify below)
 VICE PRESIDENT
7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

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

1. Title of Security	2. Transaction Date	3. Code	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at End of Month
			Amount	Price	
COMMON STOCK	3/6/2002	M	1,180	\$26.75	
COMMON STOCK	3/6/2002	S	1,180	\$28.90	827 (1)
(1) Includes 751 shares thru the Co. ESOP Plan as of 6/30/2001.					
Includes 76 shares thru the Co. DRP Plan as of 3/31/2002.					

Table II -- Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

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	Secu-				D cisa- Date		of Shares		
	urity	Date	Code V	Amount		ble			
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$26.75	3/6/2002	M	1,180	D	11/1/1994	11/1/2003	COMMON STOCK	1,180

Explanation of Responses:
SIGNATURE OF REPORTING PERSON
ROBERT E. VEILLETTE, ATTORNEY-IN-FACT
DATE
4/8/2002