#### SALMON WALTER J

Form 4

February 01, 2005

## FORM 4

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

below)

SALMON WALTER J

Symbol NEIMAN MARCUS GROUP INC

(Month/Day/Year)

01/31/2005

(Check all applicable)

[NMGA]

(Last) (First) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

X\_ Director Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

THE NEIMAN MARCUS GROUP.

(Street)

INC., 1618 MAIN STREET

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Middle)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

**DALLAS, TX 75201** 

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned **Following** 

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Reported

(A) or

Code V Amount (D) Price

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Common

Α

Stock, Class

9,942

D

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

(Month/Day/Year)

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	n 7. Title and Amo Underlying Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Dat	An e Title Nu Sha
Phantom Stock Units (1)	\$ 65.681	01/31/2005	01/31/2005	A	228.377 (2)	01/31/2005(1) 01/31/2020(	Class A Common Stock

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

SALMON WALTER J THE NEIMAN MARCUS GROUP, INC. 1618 MAIN STREET DALLAS, TX 75201



# **Signatures**

Walter J. 02/01/2005

\*\*Signature of Date
Reporting Person

## **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).

Pursuant to The Neiman Marcus Group, Inc. Deferred Compensation Plan for Non-Employee Directors, non-employee directors of The Neiman Marcus Group, Inc. (the "Company") receive shares of Class A common stock equivalents as part of their directors'

- (1) compensation ("Mandatory Deferred Units"), and are permitted to elect to receive shares of common stock equivalents in lieu of their cash compensation ("Elective Deferred Units"). The number and "price" of such units are determined quarterly and are calculated by dividing the amount of fees in each fiscal quarter by the average of the market price of the Company's Class A common stock during the last five trading days of such fiscal quarter. Settlement of these units is in cash.
- (2) Represents Mandatory Deferred Units.
- (3) Includes shares acquired in unreported dividend reinvestment transactions.

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