

VANDERSLICE JAMES T

Form 4

January 09, 2002

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FORM 4

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

() 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

James T. Vanderslice

One Dell Way

TX, Round Rock 78682

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Dell Computer Corporation (DELL)

3. IRS or Social Security Number of Reporting Person (Voluntary)

4. Statement for Month/Year

12/2001

5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Year)

6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)

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

Vice Chairman

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

(X) 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. Transaction Code	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) Amount	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at End of Month
Common Stock	12/13/2001	F	86850 D	\$28.83 724800 1
Common Stock				145

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

1. Title of Derivative Security	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date	4. Transaction Code	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) Amount	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities	8. Put or Call or Other Feature
						Title and Number of Shares	

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Explanation of Responses:

1. Represents 424,800 shares held free of restrictions and 300,000 shares of restricted stock scheduled to vest on 12/13/2002.