NORTHERN TRUST CORP

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FORM 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MOEN TIMOTHY P			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NORTHERN TRUST CORP	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
			[NTRS]	(Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify		
50 SOUTH LASALLE STREET		REET	(Month/Day/Year) 01/22/2008	below) Executive Vice President		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
CHICAGO, IL	. 60603		Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative	Secur	ities Acquir	ed, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y 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. Securition Dispose (Instr. 3, 4)	ed of (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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	01/22/2008		M	47,453	A	\$ 32.615	59,996	I	By Trust
Common Stock	01/22/2008		S	800	D	\$ 70.72	59,196	I	By Trust
Common Stock	01/22/2008		S	500	D	\$ 70.71	58,696	I	By Trust
Common Stock	01/22/2008		S	200	D	\$ 70.705	58,496	I	By Trust
Common Stock	01/22/2008		S	1,100	D	\$ 70.7	57,396	I	By Trust

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Common Stock	01/22/2008	S	100	D	\$ 70.6901	57,296	I	By Trust
Common Stock	01/22/2008	S	900	D	\$ 70.69	56,396	I	By Trust
Common Stock	01/22/2008	S	1,058	D	\$ 70.68	55,338	I	By Trust
Common Stock	01/22/2008	S	200	D	\$ 70.67	55,138	I	By Trust
Common Stock	01/22/2008	S	100	D	\$ 70.665	55,038	I	By Trust
Common Stock	01/22/2008	S	900	D	\$ 70.66	54,138	I	By Trust
Common Stock	01/22/2008	S	1,498	D	\$ 70.65	52,640	I	By Trust
Common Stock	01/22/2008	S	829	D	\$ 70.64	51,811	I	By Trust
Common Stock	01/22/2008	S	3,300	D	\$ 70.63	48,511	I	By Trust
Common Stock	01/22/2008	S	200	D	\$ 70.625	48,311	I	By Trust
Common Stock	01/22/2008	S	2,283	D	\$ 70.62	46,028	I	By Trust
Common Stock	01/22/2008	S	200	D	\$ 70.61	45,828	I	By Trust
Common Stock	01/22/2008	S	258	D	\$ 70.6	45,570	I	By Trust
Common Stock	01/22/2008	S	400	D	\$ 70.59	45,170	I	By Trust
Common Stock	01/22/2008	S	1,117	D	\$ 70.58	44,053	I	By Trust
Common Stock	01/22/2008	S	100	D	\$ 70.56	43,953	I	By Trust
Common Stock	01/22/2008	S	297	D	\$ 70.55	43,656	I	By Trust
Common Stock	01/22/2008	S	2,103	D	\$ 70.54	41,553	I	By Trust
Common Stock	01/22/2008	S	2,500	D	\$ 70.53	39,053	I	By Trust
Common Stock	01/22/2008	S	604	D	\$ 70.52	38,449	I	By Trust
	01/22/2008	S	100	D		38,349	I	By Trust

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Common Stock					\$ 70.5125			
Common Stock	01/22/2008	S	1,211	D	\$ 70.51	37,138	I	By Trust
Common Stock	01/22/2008	S	1,502	D	\$ 70.5	35,636	I	By Trust
Common Stock	01/22/2008	S	100	D	\$ 70.4975	35,536	I	By Trust
Common Stock	01/22/2008	S	1,800	D	\$ 70.49	33,736	I	By Trust

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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	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount Underlying Securitic (Instr. 3 and 4)	
	Security				(D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)				
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	or Numb of Sha
Employee Stock Option (right-to-buy)	\$ 32.615	01/22/2008		M	47,453	(2)	02/18/2013	Common Stock	47,4

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
MOEN TIMOTHY P								
50 SOUTH LASALLE STREET			Executive Vice President					
CHICAGO, IL 60603								

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Signatures

Paul A. Bernacki, Attorney-in-Fact for Timothy P. Moen

01/24/2008

**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) This Form 4 is being filed as Part 1 and is continued on a second Form 4 as Part 2 (due to the thirty row maximum allowed on Table I).
- (2) Dates Exercisable are 2/18/04, 2/18/05, 2/18/06

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