

SQUIRES BURT  
Form 4  
January 19, 2005

**FORM 4**

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

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF  
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**SQUIRES BURT**

(Last) (First) (Middle)

1600 CANTRELL ROAD

(Street)

LITTLE ROCK, AR 72201

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol

**DILLARDS INC [DDS]**

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

01/18/2005

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

Vice President - Stores

6. 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<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired<br>(A) or Disposed of (D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or<br>Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------------|---|---|--------------------------------------|---|--|--|---|
| Common<br>Class A                     | 01/18/2005                              |   | M                                    | 5,000 A   | \$<br>24.01  | 30,017   | D   |
| Common<br>Class A                     | 01/18/2005                              |   | F                                    | 4,607 D   | \$<br>27.21  | 25,410   | D   |
| Common<br>Class A                     | 01/18/2005                              |   | M                                    | 11,282 A  | \$<br>23.25  | 36,692   | D   |
| Common<br>Class A                     | 01/18/2005                              |   | F                                    | 10,276 D  | \$<br>27.21  | 26,416   | D   |
| Common<br>Class A                     | 01/18/2005                              |   | M                                    | 7,845 A   | \$<br>23.25  | 34,261   | D   |

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|                |            |   |       |   |          |        |   |
|----------------|------------|---|-------|---|----------|--------|---|
| Common Class A | 01/18/2005 | F | 7,155 | D | \$ 27.21 | 27,106 | D |
| Common Class A | 12/10/2004 | G | 1,025 | D | \$ 27.31 | 26,081 | D |
| Common Class A |            |   |       |   |          | 14,443 | D |

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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|
|  |  |                                      |  | Code                           | V (A) (D)   | Date Exercisable Expiration Date                         | Title Amount or Number of Shares                            |
| Employee Stock Option                      | \$ 24.01   | 01/18/2005                           |  | M                              | 5,000   | 05/14/2004 05/14/2009                                    | Common Class A 5,000  |
| Employee Stock Option                      | \$ 27.21   | 01/18/2005                           |  | F                              | 4,607   | 01/18/2005 05/14/2009                                    | Common Class A 4,607  |
| Employee Stock Option                      | \$ 23.25   | 01/18/2005                           |  | M                              | 11,282  | 03/08/2002 12/15/2007                                    | Common Class A 11,282                                       |
| Employee Stock Option                      | \$ 27.21   | 01/18/2005                           |  | F                              | 10,276  | 01/18/2005 12/15/2007                                    | Common Class A 10,276                                       |
| Employee Stock Option                      | \$ 23.25   | 01/18/2005                           |  | M                              | 7,845   | 03/09/2002 12/10/2006                                    | Common Class A 7,845  |
| Employee Stock Option                      | \$ 27.21   | 01/18/2005                           |  | F                              | 7,155   | 01/18/2005 12/10/2006                                    | Common Class A 7,155  |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                              | Relationships |           |                         |       |
|---|---------------|-----------|-------------------------|-------|
|   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                 | Other |
| SQUIRES BURT<br>1600 CANTRELL ROAD<br>LITTLE ROCK, AR 72201 |               |           | Vice President - Stores |       |

## Signatures

/s/ Burt Squires 01/19/2005

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).

### Remarks:

Total includes 638 shares of Class A Common acquired under 401(k) Plan Exempt Under Rule 16b-3 ( c ).

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