

WILLIAMS SONOMA INC
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
STANGL SANDRA

(Last) (First) (Middle)
3250 VAN NESS AVE.
(Street)

SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94109

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
WILLIAMS SONOMA INC [WSM]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
03/25/2014

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

___ Director ___ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)
PRESIDENT POTTERY BARN BRANDS

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially 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. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 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 Ownership (Instr. 4) | | | |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|--------|---|---------------------------|
| | | | Code | V | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | | | |
| Common Stock | 03/25/2014 | | M | | 25,000 | A | \$ 0 | 43,918 | D | |
| Common Stock | 03/25/2014 | | F | | 10,844 (1) | D | \$ 66.31 | 33,074 | D | |
| Common Stock | 03/25/2014 | | S | | 14,156 | D | \$ 66.0741 (2) | 18,918 | D | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | 5,554 | I | By Managed Account (3) |

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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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|-------------------------------|
| Restricted Stock Units | (4) | 03/25/2014 | | M | 25,000 | (5) (6) | Common Stock | 25,000 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|-------------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| STANGL SANDRA 3250 VAN NESS AVE. SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94109 | | | PRESIDENT POTTERY BARN BRANDS | |

Signatures

/s/ Laurel Pies, Attorney-in-Fact for Sandra Stangl
Date: 03/27/2014

**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) Represents the number of shares withheld upon vesting of restricted stock units to cover tax withholding obligations.
Reflects the weighted average price as the shares were sold in multiple transactions. The per share transaction price ranged from \$65.88 to \$66.56. The reporting person undertakes to provide upon request by the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission staff, the issuer, or a security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- (3) Represents the number of shares held by the reporting person in the Williams-Sonoma, Inc. Stock Fund under the Williams-Sonoma, Inc. 401(k) Plan, based on a statement dated March 25, 2014.
- (4) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of WSM common stock.

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- (5) The restricted stock units vested fully on March 25, 2014. Dividend equivalent payments are accrued and paid upon vesting of these shares.
- (6) The restricted stock units are cancelled upon vesting and delivery of shares of WSM common stock.

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