WASHINGTON MUTUAL, INC

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading KILLINGER KERRY K Issuer Symbol WASHINGTON MUTUAL, INC (Check all applicable) ["WM"] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction _X__ Director 10% Owner Other (specify X_ Officer (give title (Month/Day/Year) below) 1301 SECOND AVENUE 12/12/2006 Chairman and CEO (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting SEATTLE, WA 98101 Person (City) (State) (Zip) n Dominative Securities Assumed Disposed of an Boneficially O

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Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if			nAcquired (A) or			Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	Code Disposed of (D))	Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr.	8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Owned Following	Indirect (I)	Ownership
					(Δ)		Reported	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
						or		Transaction(s)		
			Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common	12/12/2006		G	V	545	D	\$0	1,447,836.09	D	
Common	12/14/2006		G	V	534	D	\$0	1,447,302.09	D	
Common	12/14/2006		G	V	534	D	\$0	1,446,768.09	D	
Common								50,777	I	By GRAT

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1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date		4.	5.	6. Date Exerc		7. Title		8. Price of	9. Nu
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(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Securi	ties	(Instr. 5)	Bene
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					(A) or						Repo
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					(Instr. 3,						
					4, and 5)						
									Amount		
						Date	Expiration		or		
						Exercisable	Date	Title Number of	Number		
						LACICISAUIC			of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
KILLINGER KERRY K 1301 SECOND AVENUE SEATTLE, WA 98101	X		Chairman and CEO					

Signatures

By: /s/ Christopher J. Bellavia, Attorney-in-Fact

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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