

VANASEK JAMES G  
 Form 4/A  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
 VANASEK JAMES G

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 WASHINGTON MUTUAL INC  
 ["WM"]

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

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 1201 THIRD AVENUE  
 (Street)  
 SEATTLE, WA 98101  
 (City) (State) (Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 11/21/2005  
 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)  
 11/23/2005

\_\_\_\_ Director  
 Officer (give title below)  
 \_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 \_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
 EVP & Chief Entrprise Risk Off  
 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 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 (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)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
Common	11/21/2005		M	8,153	A \$ 30.79	34,634.54	D
Common	11/21/2005		S	8,153	D \$ 42.73	26,481.54	D
Common	11/21/2005		S	5,000	D \$ 42.71	21,481.54	D
Common	11/21/2005		M	9,300	A \$ 30.79	30,781.54	D
Common	11/21/2005		S	9,300	D \$ 42.72	21,481.54	D

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Common	11/21/2005	M	300	A	\$ 30.79	21,781.54	D
Common	11/21/2005	S	300	D	\$ 42.68	21,481.54	D
Common	11/21/2005	M	16,100	A	\$ 30.79	37,581.54	D
Common	11/21/2005	S	16,100	D	\$ 42.7	21,481.54	D
Common	11/21/2005	M	500	A	\$ 30.79	21,981.54	D
Common	11/21/2005	S	500	D	\$ 42.69	21,481.54	D
Common	11/21/2005	M	67,400	A	\$ 30.79	88,881.54	D
Common	11/21/2005	S	67,400	D	\$ 42.74	21,481.54	D
Common	11/21/2005	M	5,000 <u>(1)</u>	A	\$ 30.79	26,481.54	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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 30.79	11/21/2005		M	8,153	<u>(2)</u> 12/18/2011	Common	8,153
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 30.79	11/21/2005		M	5,000	<u>(2)</u> 12/18/2011	Common	5,000

