Harvey Richard A. Form 4

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

Form 5 Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, obligations may continue. See Instruction

1(b).

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)

Harvey Richard A. Symbol Issuer				
WILLIAMS SONOMA INC [WSM] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction				
(Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Own				
3250 VAN NESS AVENUE 11/14/2012 X Officer (give title Other (special below) below) PRESIDENT WS BRAND	ecify			
(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Ch	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person	_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
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(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially O	wned			
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		Tabi	e I - Moli-L	erivative s	Securi	nes Acqu	in eu, Disposeu oi	, or belieficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired ior(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or		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)	
C			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	,		
Common Stock	11/14/2012		M	25,000	A	\$ 8.56	25,000	D	
Common Stock	11/14/2012		F	9,077 (1)	D	\$ 46.05	15,923	D	
Common Stock	11/14/2012		D	4,648 (2)	D	\$ 46.05	11,275	D	
Common Stock							21,318 (3)	I	By Managed Account

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 or Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Derivative Expiration Date Securities (Month/Day/Year) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4,		7. Title and Amount Underlying Securitie (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amour or Numbe of Shar
Stock Settled Stock Appreciation	\$ 8.56	11/14/2012		M	25,000	<u>(4)</u>	11/07/2018	Common Stock	25,00

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Harvey Richard A. 3250 VAN NESS AVENUE SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94109

PRESIDENT WS BRAND

Signatures

Right (ssar)

/s/ Laurel Pies, Attorney-in-Fact for Richard A. Harvey

11/16/2012

**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) Reflects the number of shares retained by the issuer to satisfy tax withholding requirements in connection with the reporting person's exercise of a stock-settled stock appreciation right.
- (2) Reflects the number of shares retained by the issuer in connection with the reporting person's exercise of a stock-settled stock appreciation right.
- (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 November 14, 2012.
- (4) These stock appreciation rights are fully vested and immediately exercisable.

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Reporting Owners 2

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