

CONNOLLY PAT
Form 4
December 08, 2009

FORM 4

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

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
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2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
WILLIAMS SONOMA INC [WSM]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3250 VAN NESS AVENUE

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
12/04/2009

☐ Director ☐ 10% Owner
☒ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify below)

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(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
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Person

SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94109

(City) (State) (Zip)

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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	12/04/2009		M		80,000	A	\$ 9.4688 971,824
Common Stock	12/04/2009		S		80,000	D	\$ 21.5284 891,824
Common Stock	12/04/2009		M		220,000	A	\$ 15 1,111,824
Common Stock	12/04/2009		S		220,000	D	\$ 21.5284 891,824
	12/07/2009		S		6,526	D	\$ 21.75 885,298

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Common
Stock

Common Stock	12/07/2009	M	6,526	A	\$ 15	891,824	D
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Common Stock	12/08/2009	M	35,000	A	\$ 15	926,824	D
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Common Stock	12/08/2009	S	35,000	D	\$ 20.9909 (2)	891,824	D
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Common Stock	12/08/2009	J	3,339	A	\$ 20.96	32,239 (3)	I	by Managed Account
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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 An Underlying Sec (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 9.4688	12/04/2009		M	80,000	<u>(4)</u>	03/07/2010 <u>(5)</u>	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 15	12/04/2009		M	220,000	<u>(6)</u>	04/25/2010 <u>(7)</u>	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 15	12/07/2009		M	6,526	<u>(6)</u>	04/25/2010 <u>(7)</u>	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 15	12/08/2009		M	35,000	<u>(6)</u>	04/25/2010 <u>(7)</u>	Common Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
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Signatures

By: Laurel Pies, Attorney-in-Fact For: Patrick J. Connolly

12/08/2009

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

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Reflects the weighted average price as the shares were sold in multiple transactions. The per share transaction price ranged from \$21.02 to \$21.81. 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.

Reflects the weighted average price as the shares were sold in multiple transactions. The per share transaction price ranged from \$20.85 to \$21.21. 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.

The reporting person owns \$675,741.62 in the Williams-Sonoma, Inc. stock fund under the Williams-Sonoma, Inc. 401(k) Plan, based on a statement dated December 8, 2009. The number of shares indirectly owned was calculated by dividing the amount owned in the Williams-Sonoma, Inc. stock fund by \$20.96, the closing price of Williams-Sonoma, Inc. common stock on December 8, 2009.

(4) The options vested in equal installments on March 7, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, and 2005.

(5) The stock options exercised were scheduled to expire on March 7, 2010.

(6) The options vested in equal installments on April 25, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, and 2005.

(7) The stock options exercised were scheduled to expire on April 25, 2010.

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