

STANGL SANDRA  
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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 \*  
STANGL SANDRA

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

WILLIAMS SONOMA INC [WSM]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_\_ Director  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
PRESIDENT POTTERY BARN BRAND

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

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
11/30/2011

(Street)  
SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94109

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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(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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price
Common Stock	11/30/2011		M		8,000	A	\$ 22.47
							23,396
Common Stock	11/30/2011		S		18,240	D	\$ 37.4331
							(1)
Common Stock	12/01/2011		J		20	A	\$ 37.77
							4,609 (2)
							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 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)	Amount or Number of Shares
Non-qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 22.47	11/30/2011		M	8,000	<sup>(3)</sup> 04/03/2012	Common Stock	8,000

## 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 BRAND

## Signatures

/s/ Laurel Pies, Attorney-in-Fact for Sandra Stangl  
Date: 12/02/2011

\_\_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).

Reflects the weighted average price as the shares were sold in multiple transactions. The per share transaction price ranged from \$37.39 to

(1) \$37.53. 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.

(2) The reporting person owns \$174,099.02 in the Williams-Sonoma, Inc. stock fund under the Williams-Sonoma, Inc. 401(k) Plan, based on a statement dated December 1, 2011. The number of shares indirectly owned by Managed Account and listed in Table 1 was calculated by dividing the amount owned in the Williams-Sonoma, Inc. stock fund by \$37.77, the closing price of Williams-Sonoma, Inc. common stock on November 30, 2011.

(3) The option vested in equal installments on April 3, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, and 2007.

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