### WILLIAMS SONOMA INC

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# FORM 4

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * JAFFE SETH			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol WILLIAMS SONOMA INC [WSM]				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	, ,	(Middle)	(Month/D	•	ansaction			Director		Owner
3250 VAN NESS AVENUE			03/27/2007					X Officer (give title Other (specify below)  SVP & GENERAL COUNSEL		
	(Street)			ndment, Da th/Day/Year	U	ıl		6. Individual or J Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by	One Reporting Pe	erson
SAN FRAN					:4: A	Form filed by More than One Reporting Person  quired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned				
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	(State)  2. Transaction Dat (Month/Day/Year)	Execution any	ned	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi on(A) or Do (Instr. 3,	ties A ispose 4 and (A) or	cquired d of (D)	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
Common Stock	03/27/2007			J	20	A	\$ 34.81	238 (1)	I	by Managed

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)

Account

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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)	Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amoun Underlying Securiti (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amor or Numl of Sh
Stock Settled Stock Appreciation Right (SSAR)	\$ 34.89	03/27/2007		A	20,000	03/27/2008	03/27/2017	Common Stock	20,0

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
•	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
JAFFE SETH						

3250 VAN NESS AVENUE SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94109 **SVP & GENERAL COUNSEL** 

## **Signatures**

By: Laurel Pies, Attorney-in-Fact For: Seth R.

Jaffe
03/29/2007

\*\*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).

The reporting person owns \$8,297.95 in the Williams-Sonoma, Inc. stock fund under the Williams-Sonoma, Inc. 401(k) Plan, based on a statement dated March 27, 2007. The number of shares indirectly owned and noted on Table I was calculated by dividing the amount owned in the Williams-Sonoma, Inc. stock fund by \$34.81, the closing price of Williams-Sonoma, Inc. common stock on March 27, 2007.

#### **Remarks:**

The SSAR vests at a rate of 20% per year over a period of five years, so as to be 100% vested and exercisable on 03/27/2012,

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