#### WILLIAMS SONOMA INC

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## FORM 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading STANGL SANDRA Issuer Symbol WILLIAMS SONOMA INC [WSM] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner \_X\_\_ Officer (give title Other (specify 3250 VAN NESS AVE. 05/26/2015 below) PRESIDENT POTTERY BARN BRANDS (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

### SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94109

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	le I - Non-I	Derivative	Secur	ities Acqu	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	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. Securit or(A) or Dia (Instr. 3,	sposed 4 and 3 (A) or	l of (D) 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)
Common Stock	05/26/2015		Code V M	Amount 50,780	(D)	Price \$ 40.87	101,456	D	
Common Stock	05/26/2015		F	12,783 (1)	D	\$ 78.96	88,673	D	
Common Stock	05/26/2015		D	26,284 (2)	D	\$ 78.96	62,389	D	
Common Stock	05/26/2015		S	23,071	D	\$ 77.97 (3)	39,318	D	
Common Stock							5,822	I	By Managed

Account (4)

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Other

#### 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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of on 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 Underlying Securitie (Instr. 3 and 4)	
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Stock Appreciation Rights	\$ 40.87	05/26/2015		M	50,7	'80	(5)	04/05/2018	Common Stock	50,78

# **Reporting Owners**

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Officer Director 10% Owner

STANGL SANDRA 3250 VAN NESS AVE. SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94109

PRESIDENT POTTERY BARN BRANDS

### **Signatures**

/s/ David King, Attorney-in-Fact for Sandra Stangl

05/27/2015

\*\*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 number of shares retained by the issuer to satisfy tax withholding requirements in connection with the reporting person's **(1)** exercise of a stock-settled stock appreciation right.
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- Reflects the weighted average price as the shares were sold in multiple transactions. The per share transaction price ranged from \$77.64 to (3) \$78.88. 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.
- (4) 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 May 26, 2015.
- (5) These stock appreciation rights are fully vested and immediately exercisable.

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