WILLIAMS SONOMA INC

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * ROBERTSON DICK

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

Symbol

WILLIAMS SONOMA INC [WSM]

(Check all applicable)

(First) (Middle) (Last)

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

X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify

3250 VAN NESS AVENUE

(Street)

06/11/2008

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

below)

SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94109

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3)

(Month/Day/Year)

4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following (Instr. 4)

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

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 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 5. Number 6. Date Exercisable and 7. Title and Amount of 8. Pr 4. Derivative Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction of Derivative Expiration Date **Underlying Securities** Deri Security or Exercise Code Securities (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3 and 4) Secu (Instr. 3) Price of (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Acquired (Inst

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Derivative (A) or Security Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4,

and 5)

Code V (A) (D) Date Expiration Title Exercisable

Date orNumber

of Shares

Amount

Restricted

Common (2) (3) Stock (1) 06/11/2008 Α 7.755 7,755 Stock Units

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Director 10% Owner Officer Other

ROBERTSON DICK 3250 VAN NESS AVENUE X SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94109

Signatures

By: Attorney-in-Fact, Laurel Pies For: Richard T. 06/12/2008 Robertson

> **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).
- Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of WSM common stock.
- The restricted stock units vest approximately one year from grant date, subject to Williams-Sonoma, Inc. achieving certain performance **(2)** goals. Vested shares will be delivered to the reporting person upon vesting or the end of the deferral period, if applicable.
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