

STANGL SANDRA  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section  
30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

<p>1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *</p> <p>Â STANGL SANDRA</p> <p>(Last) (First) (Middle)</p> <p>3250 VAN NESS AVE.</p> <p>(Street)</p> <p>SAN FRANCISCO,Â CAÂ 94109</p> <p>(City) (State) (Zip)</p>	<p>2. Date of Event Requiring Statement</p> <p>(Month/Day/Year)</p> <p>05/25/2011</p>	<p>3. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol</p> <p>WILLIAMS SONOMA INC [WSM]</p>	<p>4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer</p> <p>(Check all applicable)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other (give title below) (specify below)</p> <p>PRESIDENT POTTERY BARN BRAND</p>	<p>5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)</p>	<p>6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person</p>
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**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common Stock	5,156	D	Â
Common Stock	4,476	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 Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	Â <sup>(1)</sup>	04/01/2013	Common Stock	7,200	\$ 21.8	D	Â
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	Â <sup>(1)</sup>	04/03/2012	Common Stock	8,000	\$ 22.47	D	Â
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	Â <sup>(1)</sup>	09/29/2013	Common Stock	10,000	\$ 27	D	Â
Restricted Stock Units	Â <sup>(2)</sup>	Â <sup>(2)</sup>	Common Stock	58,747	\$ <sup>(3)</sup>	D	Â
Stock Appreciation Rights	Â <sup>(4)</sup>	12/19/2018	Common Stock	25,000	\$ 8.01	D	Â
Stock Appreciation Rights	Â <sup>(5)</sup>	11/07/2018	Common Stock	50,000	\$ 8.56	D	Â
Stock Appreciation Rights	Â <sup>(6)</sup>	04/05/2018	Common Stock	50,780	\$ 40.87	D	Â

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				Other
	Director	10% Owner	Officer		
STANGL SANDRA 3250 VAN NESS AVE. SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94109	Â	Â	Â	PRESIDENT POTTERY BARN BRAND	Â

## Signatures

By: Attorney-in-Fact: Laurel Pies For: Sandra N Stangl  
Date: 06/01/2011

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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).

(1) These stock options are fully vested.

(2) These restricted stock units vest as follows: 4,914 units vest on 4/10/2012; 10,558 units vest on 5/2/2012; 9,137 units vest on 4/5/2013; 25,000 units vest on 3/25/2014; and 9,138 units vest on 4/5/2015.

(3) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of WSM common stock.

(4) These stock appreciation rights will vest in two equal parts on 12/19/2011 and 12/19/2012.

(5) These stock appreciation rights will vest in two equal parts on 11/7/2011 and 11/7/2012.

(6) These stock appreciation rights will vest in four equal parts on 4/5/2012, 4/5/2013, 4/5/2014, and 4/5/2015.

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