

WILLIAMS SONOMA INC  
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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 \*  
**CONNOLLY PAT**

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
  
3250 VAN NESS AVENUE  
  
(Street)

SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94109

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**WILLIAMS SONOMA INC [WSM]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
12/10/1993

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
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6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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**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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount or Price		
Common Stock	12/10/1993		J		850 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	\$ 0 534,065 D
Common Stock	12/31/1993		J		1,330 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	\$ 0 532,735 D
Common Stock	12/31/1996		J		620 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	\$ 0 532,115 D
Common Stock	08/20/1997		J		1,350 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	\$ 0 530,765 D
Common Stock	03/16/1998		S		2,750	D	\$ 61.07 528,015 D

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Common Stock	03/17/1998	S	285	D	\$ 60	527,730	D	
Common Stock	03/17/1998	J	<u>1,800</u> <sup>(1)</sup>	D	\$ 0	525,930	D	
Common Stock	08/19/1998	J	260 <sup>(2)</sup>	D	\$ 0	526,190	D	
Common Stock	12/09/1999	S	6,800	D	\$ 57.78	519,390	D	
Common Stock	12/09/1999	J	77 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	\$ 0	519,313	D	
Common Stock	09/13/2002	S	34,500	D	\$ 25.74	484,813	D	
Common Stock	12/01/2012	J	<u>7,000</u> <sup>(1)</sup>	D	\$ 0	477,813	D	
Common Stock	03/24/2015	J	<u>27,236</u> <sup>(3)</sup>	D	\$ 0	450,577	D	
Common Stock						38,889	I	By Managed Account <sup>(4)</sup>
Common Stock						225,000	I	By LLC

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)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 6)
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
						Code	V	(A)	(D)

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
CONNOLLY PAT 3250 VAN NESS AVENUE SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94109	X		EVP	

## Signatures

/s/ Patrick J.  
Connolly

03/25/2015

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).
- (1) Represents a gift transaction.
- (2) Reported to correct double-reporting of this gift on previous Form 4s.
- (3) Adjusted to reflect (1) 29,139 shares resulting from incorrect pre-stock split share assumptions in prior Form 4s and (2) 1,903 shares from transactions between February and August 1994 for which transaction details are not available.
- (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 March 24, 2015.

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