

MCCOLLAM SHARON  
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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 \*  
MCCOLLAM SHARON

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
(Check all applicable)

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

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
01/31/2010

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
EVP, COO & CFO

SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94109

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

**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 (D) Price                                             |                                                                                               |                                                          |                                   |
| Common Stock                    | 01/31/2010                           |                                                    | M                              | 75,000 A \$ 0                                                     | 75,400                                                                                        | D                                                        |                                   |
| Common Stock                    | 01/31/2010                           |                                                    | F                              | 29,930 (1) D \$ 18.98                                             | 45,470                                                                                        | D                                                        |                                   |
| Common Stock                    | 02/02/2010                           |                                                    | J                              | 172 A \$ 19.7                                                     | 6,861 (2)                                                                                     | 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 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. Amount or Number of Shares |
|--------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Restricted Stock Units                     | (3)                                                    | 01/31/2010                           |                                                    | M                              | 75,000                                                                                  | (4) (5)                                                  | Common Stock                                                  | 75,000                        |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                     | Relationships |           |                |       |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|-----------|----------------|-------|
|                                                                    | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer        | Other |
| MCCOLLAM SHARON<br>3250 VAN NESS AVENUE<br>SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94109 |               |           | EVP, COO & CFO |       |

## Signatures

By: Attorney-in-Fact: Laurel Pies For: Sharon L. McCollam 02/02/2010

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 the number of shares withheld upon vesting of restricted stock units to cover tax withholding obligations.  
The reporting person owns \$135,162.10 in the Williams-Sonoma, Inc. stock fund under the Williams-Sonoma, Inc. 401(k) Plan, based on a statement dated February 2, 2010. The number of shares indirectly owned was calculated by dividing the amount owned in the Williams-Sonoma, Inc. stock fund by \$19.70, the closing price of Williams-Sonoma, Inc. common stock on February 1, 2010.
- (2) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of WSM common stock.
- (3) The restricted stock units vested and shares of WSM common stock were deliverable on January 31, 2010.
- (5) The restricted stock units were cancelled upon vesting and delivery of shares of WSM common stock.

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