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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> COLE THOMAS L			2. Date of Event Requiring Statement(Month/Day/Year)		3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol STEIN MART INC [SMRT]				
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	06/21/2016		4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	
C/O STEIN MART, INC., 1200 RIVERPLACE BLVD.					(Check all applicable)				
(Street) JACKSONVILLE, FL 32207				OfficerOt		Other		Filing(Check Applicable Line)	
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)		Table I - N	lon-Derivat	ive Securiti	ies Be	neficially Owned	
1.Title of Secu (Instr. 4)	rity			2. Amount of Beneficially ((Instr. 4)		3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nat Owne (Instr	1	
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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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/Day/Year)	Derivative Security	or Exercise	Form of	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Title	Derivative Security	Security: Direct (D)	
		Day/Year) Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	Day/Year) Derivative Security or Exercise (Instr. 4) Price of Derivative	(Instr. 4) Price of Derivative Security: Title

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		Shares	(Instr. 5)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
COLE THOMAS L C/O STEIN MART, INC. 1200 RIVERPLACE BLVD. JACKSONVILLE, FL 32207	ÂX	Â	Â	Â		
Signatures						
D. Hunt Hawkins, as attorney-in-fact	06/21/2016					
<pre>**Signature of Reporting Person</pre>		Date				
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Explanation of Responses:

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

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