

COUGHLIN THOMAS M

Form 4

December 30, 2004

FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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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 *
COUGHLIN THOMAS M

(Last) (First) (Middle)

702 SOUTHWEST 8TH STREET

(Street)

BENTONVILLE, AR 72716

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol

WAL MART STORES INC [WMT]

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

12/30/2004

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)

Vice Chairman of the Board

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)

☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person
☐ Form filed by More than One Reporting
Person

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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock								347,048	D	
Common Stock								39,171	I	By ESOP
Common Stock								14,326	I	By Family LLC
Common Stock								29,637	I	By Gift Trust
Common Stock								220	I	By Irrevocable Trust

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Common Stock	12/30/2004	12/30/2004	G V	350,510	A	\$ 53.35	422,136	I	By Trust
Common Stock	12/30/2004	12/30/2004	S	13,000	D	\$ 53.19	409,136	I	By Trust
Common Stock	12/30/2004	12/30/2004	S	50,000	D	\$ 53.18	359,136	I	By Trust
Common Stock	12/30/2004	12/30/2004	S	10,000	D	\$ 53.17	349,136	I	By Trust
Common Stock	12/30/2004	12/30/2004	S	5,000	D	\$ 53.16	344,136	I	By Trust
Common Stock	12/30/2004	12/30/2004	S	38,000	D	\$ 53.13	306,136	I	By Trust
Common Stock	12/30/2004	12/30/2004	S	41,000	D	\$ 53.12	265,136	I	By Trust
Common Stock	12/30/2004	12/30/2004	S	13,000	D	\$ 53.14	252,136	I	By Trust
Common Stock	12/30/2004	12/30/2004	S	40,000	D	\$ 53.1	212,136	I	By Trust
Common Stock	12/30/2004	12/30/2004	S	5,000	D	\$ 53.08	207,136	I	By Trust
Common Stock	12/30/2004	12/30/2004	S	3,000	D	\$ 53.09	204,136	I	By Trust
Common Stock	12/30/2004	12/30/2004	S	16,000	D	\$ 53.06	188,136	I	By Trust
Common Stock	12/30/2004	12/30/2004	S	47,000	D	\$ 53.2	141,136	I	By Trust

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,	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. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
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Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
COUGHLIN THOMAS M 702 SOUTHWEST 8TH STREET BENTONVILLE, AR 72716	X		Vice Chairman of the Board	

Signatures

/s/ Samuel A. Guess, By Power of Attorney 12/30/2004

____Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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