WASHINGTON MUTUAL, INC

Form 4

January 23, 2007

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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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] OSMER MCQUADE MARGARET	2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol WASHINGTON MUTUAL, INC ["WM"]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)
(Last) (First) (Middle) 125 EAST 72ND STREET, #7D	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/19/2007	__X__ Director _____ 10% Owner _____ Officer (give title _____ Other (specify below) below)
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person ___ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person
NEW YORK CITY, NY 10021		
(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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common [(1)]	01/19/2007		A		1,568	A	$ 0	25,748.84	D	

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	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4. Transaction	5. Number of Derivative	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities	8. Der

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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			(Month/Day/Year)		(Instr. 3 and 4)		Se (In
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	$ 44.67		01/19/2007		A	3,712		(2)	01/19/2017	Common	3,712	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
OSMER MCQUADE MARGARET 125 EAST 72ND STREET, #7D NEW YORK CITY, NY 10021	X			

Signatures

By: /s/ Christopher J. Bellavia, Attorney-in-Fact	01/23/2007
**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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(1) Grant of restricted stock pursuant to the Washington Mutual, Inc. Amended and Restated 2003 Equity Incentive Plan.

(2) Grant of option pursuant to the Washington Mutual, Inc. Amended and Restated 2003 Equity Incentive Plan. The option vests on the first anniversary of the grant date.

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