WAL MART STORES INC
Reported by
DAFT DOUGLAS N

FORM 4
(Statement of Changes in Beneficial Ownership)

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702 SOUTHWEST 8TH ST
BENTONVILLE, AR 72716

Telephone 5012734000
CIK 0000104169
Symbol WMT
SIC Code 5331 - Variety Stores
Industry Retail (Department & Discount)
Sector Services
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(f) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
   DAFT DOUGLAS N
   702 SW 8TH STREET
   BENTONVILLE, AR 72716

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
   WAL MART STORES INC [ WMT ]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
   (MM/DD/YYYY)
   2/22/2005

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed
   (MM/DD/YYYY)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
   (Check all applicable)
   ___ X ___ Director
   _____ 10% Owner
   _____ Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)

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

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned ( e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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<th>Date Exercisable</th>
<th>Expiration Date</th>
<th>Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)</th>
<th>Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)</th>
<th>Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)</th>
<th>Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)</th>
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Explanations of Responses:

Reporting Owners

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<td>DAFT DOUGLAS N</td>
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Signatures

/\s\/ Samuel A. Guess, By Power of Attorney 2/23/2005

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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


Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.