WAL MART STORES INC
Reported by
SIMON WILLIAM S

FORM 4
(Statement of Changes in Beneficial Ownership)

Filed 03/05/12 for the Period Ending 03/01/12

Address 702 SOUTHWEST 8TH ST
          BENTONVILLE, AR 72716
Telephone 5012734000
CIK       0000104169
Symbol    WMT
SIC Code  5331 - Variety Stores
Industry  Retail (Department & Discount)
Sector    Services
Fiscal Year 01/31
Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Simon William S
702 S.W. 8TH STREET
BENTONVILLE, AR 72712-0215

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

WAL MART STORES INC [ WMT ]

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

3/1/2012

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


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

___ Director
___ 10% Owner
X Officer (give title below)
__ Other (specify below)

Executive Vice President

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

X Form filed by One Reporting Person


Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

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<tr>
<th>Title of Security</th>
<th>Trans. Date</th>
<th>Code</th>
<th>Amount</th>
<th>Price</th>
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<tr>
<td>Common Stock</td>
<td>3/1/2012</td>
<td>A</td>
<td>49958</td>
<td>$58.82</td>
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<td>3/1/2012</td>
<td>F</td>
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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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<th>Title of Derivate Security</th>
<th>Con. or Ex. Date</th>
<th>Price</th>
<th>Date Exercisable</th>
<th>Title</th>
<th>Amount or Number of Shares</th>
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Explanation of Responses:

(1) Represents the vesting of performance shares for the three-year period ending January 31, 2012, as certified by the Compensation, Nominating and Governance Committee on March 1, 2012.

(2) Represents shares withheld to satisfy tax withholding obligations upon the vesting of performance shares.

Reporting Owners

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<th>Reporting Owner Name / Address</th>
<th>Relationships</th>
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<td>Simon William S</td>
<td>Director</td>
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<td>10% Owner</td>
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<td>Officer</td>
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<td>Executive Vice President</td>
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Signatures
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).


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