

Ballard Shari L  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
 Ballard Shari L

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 7601 PENN AVENUE SOUTH  
 (Street)

RICHFIELD, MN 55423

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 BEST BUY CO INC [BBY]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
 (Month/Day/Year)  
 11/08/2005

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)  
 EVP - Human Capital/Leadership

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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**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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock				(A) or (D) Price	9,788	D <sup>(1)</sup>	
Common Stock				(A) or (D) Price	10,288	I	401(k) plan

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, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 1.42					04/18/1997 <sup>(2)</sup>	04/17/2007	Common Stock	1,575
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 7.64					04/24/1998 <sup>(2)</sup>	04/23/2008	Common Stock	6,750
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 23.19					04/16/1999 <sup>(2)</sup>	04/15/2009	Common Stock	3,375
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 31.17					04/14/2000 <sup>(2)</sup>	04/13/2010	Common Stock	16,875
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 24.71					04/27/2001 <sup>(2)</sup>	04/26/2011	Common Stock	8,438
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 34.18					04/11/2002 <sup>(2)</sup>	04/10/2012	Common Stock	16,875
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 19.11					01/16/2003 <sup>(2)</sup>	01/15/2013	Common Stock	7,500
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 39.59					11/03/2003 <sup>(2)</sup>	11/02/2013	Common Stock	32,323
	\$ 36.73					10/11/2004 <sup>(2)</sup>	10/10/2014		19,350

Stock  
Option  
(Right to  
Buy)

Common  
Stock

Stock  
Option  
(Right to  
Buy)

\$ 46.8

11/08/2005

A

30,005

11/08/2005<sup>(2)</sup>

11/07/2015

Common  
Stock

30,005

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Ballard Shari L 7601 PENN AVENUE SOUTH RICHFIELD, MN 55423			EVP - Human Capital/Leadership	

## Signatures

/s/ Matthew J. Norman Attorney-in-fact for Shari L.  
Ballard

11/10/2005

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

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

\*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. *See* 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

Restricted shares that will vest in a range from 0%-100% three years from the date of grant, depending on the satisfaction of certain

(1) performance factors. The reported figure represents two separate awards of 5,003 restricted shares and 4,785 restricted shares granted on 11/03/2003 and 10/11/2004, respectively.

(2) The date indicated is the grant date and the options vest in four equal annual installments beginning one year from such date.

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