#### HOLLEY CHARLES M

Form 4

January 05, 2005

## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

2 Jasuar Nama and Tiakar or Trading

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

1(b).

HOLLEY C	Symbol WAL MART STORES INC [WMT]					Issuer					
(Last)	(First) (I	Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction				-	(Check all applicable)			
702 S.W. 87	(Month/Day/Year) 01/03/2005					Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)  Senior VP and Controller					
	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					
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(City)	(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned									ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Executio any		3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit on(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	spose	d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock	01/03/2005	01/03/2	2005	A	4,770	A	\$ 53.35	24,933	D		
Common Stock								1,051	I	By ESOP	

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

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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 or 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	\$ 53.35	01/03/2005	01/03/2005	A	13,603	01/03/2006	01/02/2015	Common Stock	13,603

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

HOLLEY CHARLES M 702 S.W. 8TH STREET BENTONVILLE, AR 72716

Senior VP and Controller

## **Signatures**

/s/ Samuel A. Guess, By Power of Attorney 01/05/2005

\*\*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).

This option to purchase shares of Wal-Mart common stock was granted under the Wal-Mart Stock Incentive Plan of 1998 in a transaction exempt under Rule 16b-3. This option becomes exercisable in 1/5 increments each year after the grant date and includes a tandem tax withholding right.

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