FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of SCHOEWE TH			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol WAL MART STORES INC [WMT]		onship of Reporting Person(s) all applicable) Director Officer (give title	10% Owner Other (specify	
(Last) 702 S.W. 8TH STR	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/06/2004		Exec Vice Pres and	below)	
(Street) BENTONVILLE	AR	72716	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indivi	dual or Joint/Group Filing (Che Form filed by One Reporting Form filed by More than One	Person	
(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)	Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	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	(Instr. 3 and 4)		(instr. 4)
Common Stock	01/05/2004	01/05/2004	A		19,186	A	\$0	185,687	D	
Common Stock	01/06/2004	01/06/2004	J ⁽¹⁾		84	A	\$ <mark>0</mark>	143	I	By ESOP

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

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. Transac Code (Ir 8)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		Derivative Security (Instr. 5) General Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported		Ownership of Form: Be Direct (D) O	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)				
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)			
Stock Option	\$52.12	01/05/2004	01/05/2004	A		119,779		01/05/2005	01/04/2014	Common Stock	119,779	\$52.12	119,779	D		

Explanation of Responses:

Remarks:

Thomas M. Schoewe 01/07/2004

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

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^{1.} Due to stock price fluctations, and changes in the percentage of Plan assets, total shares credited may have decreased. The info rmation reported is based on a Plan statement dated Oct 31, 2003.

 $^{^{\}star}$ 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).