

PRICESMART INC

Form 4

February 09, 2006

**FORM 4**
**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
**Washington, D.C. 20549**

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF  
SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,  
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**PRICE SOL**

(Last) (First) (Middle)

7979 IVANHOE AVENUE, SUITE  
520

(Street)

LA JOLLA, CA 92037

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
**PRICESMART INC [PSMT]**

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

02/01/2006

4. If Amendment, Date Original  
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_X\_\_\_\_ 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**

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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock				(A) or (D)	Price		
			Code	V	Amount		
						894,159	D (2)
Common Stock	02/01/2006		X		300,000	A	\$ 12
						7,388,369	I
							As co-manager of The Price Group LLC (1)
Common Stock	02/07/2006		P		600	A	\$
						600	I
						8.43	As trustee of the Price Family Charitable Trust UTD

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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 Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)			
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number Share
Put Option (Obligation to Buy)	\$ 12	09/20/2004		S		300,000		11/30/2005	11/30/2006	Common Stock	300,000
Put Option (Obligation to Buy)	\$ 12	02/01/2006		X		300,000		11/30/2005	11/30/2006	Common Stock	300,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
PRICE SOL 7979 IVANHOE AVENUE SUITE 520 LA JOLLA, CA 92037	X

## Signatures

/s/ Sol Price 02/09/2006  
 \*\*Signature of Date  
 Reporting Person

## 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).
- (1) The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities except to the extent of his pecuniary interest (if any) therein.
- (2) As trustee for the Sol & Helen Price Trust UTD 2/20/70.
- (3) See General Remarks Section below.

### Remarks:

On September 20, 2004, in connection with a restructuring of International Finance Corporation's ("IFC") investments in Price

The reporting person is a director and chairman of the board of San Diego Revitalization Corp., a California non-profit corpora

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