

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

FORM 4

Statement of changes in beneficial ownership of securities

Filing Date: **2005-05-02** | Period of Report: **2005-04-28**

SEC Accession No. **0001181431-05-024917**

([HTML Version](#) on secdatabase.com)

ISSUER

PRICESMART INC

CIK: **1041803** | IRS No.: **330628530** | State of Incorporation: **DE** | Fiscal Year End: **0831**
SIC: **5331** Variety stores

Mailing Address
9740 SCRANTON ROAD
SAN DIEGO CA 92121

Business Address
9740 SCRANTON ROAD
SAN DIEGO CA 92121
8584048800

REPORTING OWNER

PRICE SOL

CIK: **900936**
Type: **4** | Act: **34** | File No.: **000-22793** | Film No.: **05792623**

Mailing Address
7979 IVANHOE AVE
STE 520
LA JOLLA CA 92037

Business Address
7979 IVANHOE AVE
SUITE 520
LA JOLLA CA 92037
6195512345

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

OMB APPROVAL

OMB Number: 3235-0287
 Expires: 02/28/2011
 Estimated average burden
 hours per response 0.5

Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person PRICE SOL			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PRICESMART INC [PSMT]			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input type="checkbox"/> Director <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify below)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/28/2005					
7979 IVANHOE AVENUE, SUITE 520			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check applicable line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form Filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form Filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(Street) LA JOLLA, CA 92037								
(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)	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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock								1,700,453	I	As director of San Diego Revitalization Corp. (1)
Common Stock	04/28/2005		J		249,975	A	\$8	1,932,595	D (3)	
Common Stock	04/28/2005		J		412,500	A	\$8	7,088,369	I	As co-manager of The Price Group LLC (2)

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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date					

Explanation of Responses:

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

Remarks:

On April 28, 2005, The Price Group LLC (the "Price Group") transferred 2,217,500 shares of the capital stock of PSMT (Guatemala), S.A. ("PSMT Guatemala") to PriceSmart Inc. ("PriceSmart") in exchange for the issuance by PriceSmart to Price Group of 412,500 shares of PriceSmart common stock. In addition, on April 28, 2005, SHPT transferred 1,343,805 shares of the capital stock of PSMT Guatemala to PriceSmart in exchange for the issuance by PriceSmart to SHPT of 249,975 shares of PriceSmart common stock. For purposes of such transfers and issuances, the PriceSmart common stock was valued at \$8.00 per share.

Signatures

/s/ Sol Price

** Signature of Reporting Person

05/02/2005

Date

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).

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

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB Number.