WMS INDUSTRIES INC /DE/

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Issuer

below)

McNicholas John

WMS INDUSTRIES INC /DE/

(Check all applicable)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

[WMS]

(Last)

(City)

(Middle)

(Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Director 10% Owner

(Month/Day/Year)

09/18/2008

Other (specify X_ Officer (give title

VP, Controller & CAO

C/O WMS INDUSTRIES INC., 800 S. NORTHPOINT BLVD.

(State)

(First)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

(Street) Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Table I Non Derivative Securities Acquired Disposed of an Deneficially Ov

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(,)	(******)	1 abi	e 1 - Non-D	erivative	Secur	nues Acq	uirea, Disposea o	i, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if	3. Transactio	4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D)			5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership Form: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial	
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)				Owned Following	Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)
					(A)		Reported Transaction(s)		
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	09/18/2008		S	376	D	\$ 31.47 (1)	1,131 (2)	D	
Common Stock	09/18/2008		A	1,741	A	\$ 0	2,872 (3)	D	

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)

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I S	. Title of Derivative Security Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic 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)		8 I S (
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
	Stock Option	\$ 29.35	09/18/2008	A	4,876	<u>(4)</u>	09/18/2015	Common Stock	4,876	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

McNicholas John C/O WMS INDUSTRIES INC. 800 S. NORTHPOINT BLVD. WAUKEGAN, IL 60085

VP, Controller & CAO

Signatures

/s/ John P. 09/22/2008 McNicholas, Jr.

**Signature of Reporting 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).
- Reporting person sold 4 shares at \$31.01, 4 shares at \$31.10, 4 shares at \$31.20, 4 shares at \$31.20, 4 shares at \$31.22, 8 shares at \$31.24, 9 shares at \$31.30, 15 shares at \$31.31, 8 shares at \$31.33, 1 share at \$31.35, 8 shares at \$31.43, 35 shares at \$31.44, 4 shares at \$31.45, 47 shares at \$31.47, 27 shares at \$31.49, 12 shares at \$31.50, 74 shares at \$31.51, 35 shares at \$31.52, 23 shares at \$31.54, 31 shares at \$31.64, 15 shares at \$31.65, and 4 shares at \$31.67 for an aggregate of 376 at an average price of \$31.47 per share.
- (2) Includes 1,131 shares of restricted stock, restrictions on which will lapse on 377 shares on 9/19/2009, and 377 shares on each of 9/19/2010 and 9/19/2011.
- (3) Includes of 2,872 shares of restricted stock, restrictions on which will lapse on (a) 435 on each of 9/18/09, 9/18/10 and 9/18/11 and 436 shares on 9/18/12; and (b) 377 shares on 9/19/2009, and 377 shares on each of 9/19/2010 and 9/19/2011.
- (4) Vesting one-third each year on the anniversary of the grant date over three years.

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