PRICESMART INC

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### FORM 4

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1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * GALINSON MURRAY			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol PRICESMART INC [PSMT]				ng	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)			(Check all applicable)  X Director 10% Owner					
7979 IVANHOE AVENUE, SUITE 520			05/01/2006					Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)			
Filed(				I. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting			
LA JOLLA	, CA 92037							Person	,		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned								
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Da (Month/Day/Year	Execution any	ned n Date, if Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	Securities Ownership India Beneficially Form: Beneficially Owned Direct (D) Own Following or Indirect (Inst Reported (I) Fransaction(s) (Instr. 4)				
Common Stock								12,500	D		
Common Stock	05/01/2006			J <u>(9)</u>	85,705	A	\$ 9.26 (9)	7,388,369	I	As co-manager of The Price Group LLC	
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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	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
Common Stock Option	\$ 35.63					(2)	11/07/2010	Common Stock	3,000
Common Stock Option	\$ 32.13					(3)	01/24/2011	Common Stock	1,000
Common Stock Option	\$ 35					<u>(4)</u>	01/17/2008	Common Stock	1,000
Common Stock Option	\$ 18.29					<u>(5)</u>	01/22/2009	Common Stock	1,000
Common Stock Option	\$ 6.24					<u>(6)</u>	01/08/2010	Common Stock	1,000
Common Stock Option	\$ 7.63					<u>(7)</u>	02/25/2011	Common Stock	1,000
Common Stock Option	\$ 8.18					(8)	01/24/2012	Common Stock	1,000

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
	X						

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GALINSON MURRAY 7979 IVANHOE AVENUE SUITE 520 LA JOLLA, CA 92037

### **Signatures**

/s/ Murray Galinson

05/03/2006

\*\*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).
- The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities for purposes of Sections 13 and 16 of the Securities Exchange
  Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"). In the alternative, if the reporting person were to be deemed to beneficially own these securities for purposes of Section 13 of the Exchange Act, then the reporting person would disclaim beneficial ownership of these securities for purposes of Section 16 of the Exchange Act, except to the extent of his pecuniary interest (if any) therein.
- (2) These options vest 25% annually beginning on the first anniversary (11/07/2001) of the date of grant (11/07/2000).
- (3) These options vest 25% annually beginning on the first anniversary (01/24/2002) of the date of grant (01/24/2001).
- (4) These options vest 25% annually beginning on the first anniversary (01/17/2003) of the date of grant (01/17/2002).
- (5) These options vest 25% annually beginning on the first anniversary (01/22/2004) of the date of grant (01/22/2003).
- (6) These options vest 20% annually beginning on the first anniversary (01/08/2005) of the date of grant (01/08/2004).
  - 34% of these options vest on the first anniversary (02/25/2006) of the date of grant (02/25/2005). An additional 33% of these options
- (7) vest on the second anniversary (02/25/2007) of the date of grant. The final 33% of these options vest on the third anniversary (02/25/2008) of the date of grant.
- (8) These options vest 20% annually beginning on the first anniversary (01/24/2007) of the date of grant (01/24/2006).
- (9) See General Remarks Section below.

#### **Remarks:**

The reporting person is a manager of The Price Group, LLC, a California limited liaiblity company ("Price Group"). In addition Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.

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