PRICE ROBERT E

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See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** PRICE ROBERT E			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
			PRICESMART INC [PSMT]	(Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction				
7979 IVANHOE AVENUE, SUITE 520			(Month/Day/Year) 01/19/2005	_X_ Director _X_ 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title _X_ Other (specification) below) Chairman of the Board / Interim CEC			
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
LA JOLLA, CA 92037			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tak	ole I - Non-	Derivative	Secur	rities A	cquired, Dispose	ed of, or Bene	ficially Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securiti on(A) or Dis (D) (Instr. 3, 4	posed	of	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							1,700,453	I	As director of San Diego Revitalization Corp. (1)
Common Stock							649,870	I	As co-trustee of the Robert and Allison Price Trust UTD 1/20/75
Common Stock							2,240,168	I	As co-trustee of the Robert and Allison

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								Price Charitable Trust (2)
Common Stock	01/19/2005	X	33,849	D	\$ 7	56,415	I	As co-trustee (2)
Common Stock	01/20/2005	X	318	D	\$ 7	530	I	As custodian for the minor children of the reporting person
Common Stock						80	D (3)	
Common Stock						6,675,869	I	As co-manager of The Price Group LLC (2)

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)	e Co or Pri De	Exercise ice of erivative curity	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative 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)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amoun or Numbe of Shar
Subscrip Right	otion	<u>(4)</u>	01/19/2005	X		22,566	<u>(5)</u>	12/21/2005	Common Stock	33,84
Subscrip Right	otion	<u>(4)</u>	01/20/2005	X		212	<u>(5)</u>	12/21/2005	Common Stock	318

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

PRICE ROBERT E

7979 IVANHOE AVENUE X X Chairman of the Board Interim CEO

SUITE 520 LA JOLLA, CA 92037

Signatures

/s/ Robert E. 01/21/2005

**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.
- (2) The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities except to the extent of his pecuniary interest (if any) therein.
- (3) Held in the 401(k) of the reporting person.
 - Each Subscription Right that is exercised on or prior to January 21, 2005 entitles the holder thereof to purchase 1.5 shares of PriceSmart
- (4) common stock at a price of \$7.00 per share. Each Subscription Right that is exercised after January 21, 2005 entitles the holder thereof to purchase 1.5 shares of PriceSmart common stock at a price of \$8.00 per share.
- (5) Exercisable immediately.
- (6) Not applicable.

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