PRICE ROBERT E Form 4 July 23, 2008

FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** PRICE ROBERT E	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PRICESMART INC [PSMT]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last) (First) (Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction			
7979 IVANHOE AVENUE, SUITE 520	(Month/Day/Year) 07/15/2008	_X_ Director _X_ 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title _X_ Other (specify below) below) Chairman of the Board / CEO		
(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) Tab	e I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Ber	eficially Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 6. Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Securities Ownersh Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: Owned Direct (Instr. 8) Following or Indire (A) Reported (I) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) Code V Amount (D) Price	Beneficial Ownership
Common Stock			2,245,168 I	As co-trustee of the Robert and Allison Price Charitable Trust (1)
Common Stock			56,415 I	As co-trustee (1)
Common Stock			530 I	As custodian for the minor

									children of the reporting person
Common Stock							80	D (2)	
Common Stock	07/15/2008	<u>J(4)</u>		974,314	D	<u>(4)</u>	5,845,890	I	As co-manager of The Price Group LLC
Common Stock	01/04/2008	G	V	50	D	<u>(5)</u>	829,691	I	As co-trustee of the Robert and Allison Price Trust UDT 1/20/75
Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly. 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 control number. SEC 1474 (9-02)									

 $\label{thm:convergence} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \end{tabular}$

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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
	X	X	Chairman of the Board	CEO			

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/s/ Robert E. 07/23/2008 Price

**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) Held in the 401(k) of the reporting person.
- 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.
- On July 15, 2008, a member of The Price Group LLC (the "Price Group") elected to withdraw from the Price Group. In connection with such withdrawal, the Price Group will distribute 974,314 shares of PriceSmart Inc. common stock (as well as certain other consideration) to such member in redemption of such member's interest in the Price Group. Such distribution is expected to occur on or around August 14, 2008.
- (5) Not applicable.

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