SEARS HOLDINGS CORP

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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * LAMPERT EDWARD S

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Symbol

SEARS HOLDINGS CORP [SHLD]

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(First)

(Street)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

_X__ Director

X__ 10% Owner

200 GREENWICH AVENUE

12/29/2011

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Officer (give title below)

_ Other (specify

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

GREENWICH, CT 06830

X Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

Issuer

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	le I - Non-I	Derivative So	ecurities Acq	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly 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. Securitie on(A) or Disp (Instr. 3, 4)	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	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 o Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per						38,107,718	I	See Footnotes

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7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

Common

share

Stock, par value 12/29/2011 \$0.01 per

148,611 $J^{(3)}$ (3)

\$0 D 9,912,449 (3)

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See **Footnotes** (2)(4)

share Common

12/29/2011 Stock, par

J(5)148,611 (5)

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See **Footnotes**

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value \$0.01 per share								(2) (6)
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/29/2011	J <u>(7)</u>	148,611 (7)	D	\$ 0 (7)	0	I	See Footnotes (2) (6)
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share						10,230	I	See Footnotes (2) (8)
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share						747	I	See Footnotes
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/29/2011	<u>J(10)</u>	145,998 (10)	A	\$ 0 (10)	17,209,554	D (2) (11)	

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

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. Transac Code (Instr. 8	of See Ac (A Di of (In			ate	7. Tit. Amou Under Secur (Instr	int of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
				Code	V (A	a) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
LAMPERT EDWARD S 200 GREENWICH AVENUE GREENWICH, CT 06830	X	X					
ESL INVESTMENTS INC 200 GREENWICH AVENUE GREENWICH, CT 06830		X					
RBS PARTNERS L P /CT 200 GREENWICH AVENUE GREENWICH, CT 06830		X					
ESL PARTNERS, L.P. 200 GREENWICH AVENUE GREENWICH, CT 06830		X					

Signatures

/s/ Edward S.
Lampert

**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).
- (1) These shares of common stock of Sears Holdings Corporation (the "Issuer"), par value \$0.01 per share (each, a "Share"), are held by ESL Partners, L.P. ("Partners").
- This Form 4 is filed on behalf of Mr. Lampert, ESL Investments, Inc. ("Investments"), RBS and Partners. RBS is the general partner of Partners and the managing member of Investors. RBS Investment Management, L.L.C. ("RBSIM") is the general partner of Institutional. Investments is the general partner of RBS, the sole member of CRK and the manager of RBSIM. Mr. Lampert is the Chairman, Chief Executive Officer and Director of Investments.
- (3) ESL Investors, L.L.C. ("Investors") distributed these Shares on a pro rata basis to the managing member of Investors in connection with the restructuring of Investors and the termination of the managing member's pecuniary interest in the Shares held by Investors.
- (4) These Shares are held in an account established by the investment member of Investors.
- (5) RBS Partners, L.P. ("RBS"), the managing member of Investors, acquired these Shares in a pro rata distribution from Investors in connection with the restructuring of Investors and the termination of its pecuniary interest in the Shares held by Investors.
- (6) These Shares are held by RBS.
- (7) RBS distributed these Shares, which were received in connection with the termination of its pecuniary interest in the Shares held by Investors, on a pro rata basis to its partners.
- (8) These Shares are held by ESL Institutional Partners, L.P. ("Institutional").
- (9) These Shares are held by CRK Partners, LLC ("CRK").
- (10) These Shares were received in a pro rata distribution from RBS to its partners.
- (11) These Shares are held by Edward S. Lampert, and include 77,983 Shares that were originally reported as owned indirectly through a grantor retained annuity trust, which distributed the 77,983 Shares on January 3, 2012 to Mr. Lampert.

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Remarks:

(see signatures of Reporting Persons as Exhibit 99.1)

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