

BEST BUY CO INC
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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 *
WALDEN JOHN C

(Last) (First) (Middle)
7601 PENN AVENUE SOUTH
(Street)

RICHFIELD, MN 55423

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
BEST BUY CO INC [BBY]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
10/11/2004

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
EVP - Human Capital/Leadership

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially 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. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock					28,000	D	
Common Stock	10/11/2004		A	5,250 A	\$ 0 10,250	D ⁽¹⁾	

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. Transaction 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)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 33					05/03/1999	05/02/2009	Common Stock	150,000
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 34.45					02/28/2000 ⁽²⁾	02/27/2010	Common Stock	22,500
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 44.79					09/20/2000 ⁽²⁾	09/19/2010	Common Stock	135,000
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 37.06					04/27/2001 ⁽²⁾	04/26/2011	Common Stock	43,750
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 51.27					04/11/2002 ⁽²⁾	04/10/2012	Common Stock	43,750
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 28.67					01/16/2003 ⁽²⁾	01/15/2013	Common Stock	20,000
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 59.38					11/03/2003 ⁽²⁾	11/02/2013	Common Stock	30,000
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 55.09	10/11/2004		A	31,500	10/11/2004 ⁽²⁾	10/10/2014	Common Stock	31,500

