WILD OATS MARKETS INC

Form 4

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FORM 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * GALLITANO DAVID J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

WILD OATS MARKETS INC [OATS]

below)

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(City)

(Instr. 3)

(First)

(Street)

(State)

(Middle)

(Zip)

any

(Month/Day/Year)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

4. If Amendment, Date Original

X_ Director Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

(Month/Day/Year) 19 SOUTHGATE AVENUE

08/28/2007

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

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1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of Transaction(A) or Disposed of Code (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Securities Form: Direct Indirect Beneficially Beneficial (D) or Indirect (I) Owned Ownership Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A) or (D)

D

Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Amount Common 08/28/2007 D 1,000 Stock

0

Price

D

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)

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number proof 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 or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	08/28/2007		D	268	<u>(1)</u>	05/07/2014	Common Stock	268
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	08/28/2007		D	4,000	<u>(1)</u>	05/07/2014	Common Stock	4,000
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	08/28/2007		D	70	<u>(1)</u>	05/28/2014	Common Stock	70
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	08/28/2007		D	68	<u>(1)</u>	06/30/2014	Common Stock	68
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	08/28/2007		D	276	<u>(1)</u>	07/29/2014	Common Stock	276
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	08/28/2007		D	76	<u>(1)</u>	07/30/2014	Common Stock	76
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	08/28/2007		D	108	<u>(1)</u>	08/31/2014	Common Stock	108
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	08/28/2007		D	110	<u>(1)</u>	09/30/2014	Common Stock	110
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	08/28/2007		D	157	<u>(1)</u>	10/29/2014	Common Stock	157
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	08/28/2007		D	552	(1)	11/03/2014	Common Stock	552
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	08/28/2007		D	133	(1)	11/30/2014	Common Stock	133

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Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	08/28/2007	D	108	<u>(1)</u>	12/31/2014	Common Stock	108
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	08/28/2007	D	132	<u>(1)</u>	01/31/2015	Common Stock	132
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	08/28/2007	D	484	<u>(1)</u>	02/18/2015	Common Stock	484
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	08/28/2007	D	148	(1)	02/28/2015	Common Stock	148
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	08/28/2007	D	90	<u>(1)</u>	03/31/2015	Common Stock	90
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	08/28/2007	D	94	<u>(1)</u>	04/29/2015	Common Stock	94
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	08/28/2007	D	320	<u>(1)</u>	05/04/2015	Common Stock	320
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	08/28/2007	D	4,000	<u>(1)</u>	05/04/2015	Common Stock	4,000
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	08/28/2007	D	85	<u>(1)</u>	05/31/2015	Common Stock	85
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	08/28/2007	D	83	<u>(1)</u>	06/30/2015	Common Stock	83
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	08/28/2007	D	297	<u>(1)</u>	07/06/2015	Common Stock	297
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	08/28/2007	D	991	<u>(1)</u>	07/06/2015	Common Stock	991
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	08/28/2007	D	257	<u>(1)</u>	07/26/2015	Common Stock	257
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	08/28/2007	D	71	<u>(1)</u>	07/29/2015	Common Stock	71
Restricted Stock	\$ 0	08/28/2007	D	173	<u>(1)</u>	08/03/2015	Common Stock	173

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Units								
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	08/28/2007	D	79	<u>(1)</u>	08/31/2015	Common Stock	79
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	08/28/2007	D	74	<u>(1)</u>	09/30/2015	Common Stock	74
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	08/28/2007	D	310	<u>(1)</u>	10/27/2015	Common Stock	310
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	08/28/2007	D	86	<u>(1)</u>	10/31/2015	Common Stock	86

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
r g	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
GALLITANO DAVID J							
19 SOUTHGATE AVENUE	X						
ANNAPOLIS, MD 21401							

Signatures

/s/ Tony Engel, as Attorney-in-Fact for David J.

Gallitano

08/30/2007

**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).

Pursuant to the Agreement and Plan of Merger, dated as of February 21, 2007 (the "Merger Agreement"), by and among the Issuer,

(1) Whole Foods Market, Inc. and WFMI Merger Co., each Restricted Stock Unit was converted automatically into the right to receive the per share offer price of \$18.50, net to the seller in cash (the "Offer Price").

Remarks:

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