

ARIZONA PUBLIC SERVICE CO  
Form 8-K  
May 16, 2012

**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

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**FORM 8-K**

**CURRENT REPORT**

**Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the**  
**Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

Date of report (Date of earliest event reported): **May 15, 2012**

<b>Commission File Number</b>	<b>Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter; State of Incorporation; Address and Telephone Number</b>	<b>IRS Employer Identification Number</b>
1-8962	<b>Pinnacle West Capital Corporation</b> (an Arizona corporation) 400 North Fifth Street, P.O. Box 53999 Phoenix, AZ 85072-3999 (602) 250-1000	86-0512431
1-4473	<b>Arizona Public Service Company</b> (an Arizona corporation) 400 North Fifth Street, P.O. Box 53999 Phoenix, AZ 85072-3999 (602) 250-1000	86-0011170

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**Item 8.01 Other Events.**

**ACC Decision in APS General Retail Rate Case**

On May 15, 2012, the Arizona Corporation Commission approved the regulatory settlement agreement proposed by Arizona Public Service Company ( APS ) and other parties in APS 's pending general retail rate case without material modifications.

For additional information, see Retail Rate Case Filing with the Arizona Corporation Commission in Note 3 of Notes to Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements in the Pinnacle West Capital Corporation/APS Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarter ended March 31, 2012.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, each registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

PINNACLE WEST CAPITAL CORPORATION  
(Registrant)

Dated: May 16, 2012

By: /s/ James R. Hatfield  
James R. Hatfield  
Senior Vice President and Chief Financial  
Officer

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