

AMERICAN STATES WATER CO
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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 *
 ANDERSON JAMES L

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 AMERICAN STATES WATER CO
 [AWR]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 4375 VIA SERENA
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 11/20/2015

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

BONSALL, CA 92003
 (City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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)
			Code	V	Amount or Price		
Common Shares	08/14/2015		A		95.8276 (1) \$ 39.09	A	37,409.1618 D
Common Shares	09/01/2015		A		8.6089 (2) \$ 36.95	A	37,417.7707 D
Common Shares	11/16/2015		A		92.3603 (3) \$ 40.79	A	37,510.131 D
Common Shares	11/20/2015		S		200 \$ 41.08	D	37,710.131 D
Common Shares	11/20/2015		S		300 \$ 41.09	D	38,010.131 D

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Common Shares	11/20/2015	S	100	D	\$ 41.12	38,110.131	D
Common Shares	11/20/2015	S	101	D	\$ 41.15	38,211.131	D
Common Shares	11/20/2015	S	1,399	D	\$ 41.17	39,610.131	D
Common Shares	11/20/2015	S	2,900	D	\$ 41.14	42,510.131	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)

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)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 5)
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
ANDERSON JAMES L 4375 VIA SERENA BONSALL, CA 92003		X		

Signatures

/s/ James L.
Anderson 11/23/2015

**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) DER units credited on 8/14/2015 as dividend at FMV

(2) DER units credited on 9/1/2015 as dividend at FMV

(3) DER units credited on 11/16/2015 as dividend at FMV

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