Instruction 1(b)

FORM 5

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Form 4	Transactions R	eported.	File	ed pursuant to or Section					ities Exch ompany A								
Name and Address of Reporting Person* DODGE N P					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AMERICAN STATES WATER CO [AWR]						5. Relationship of Report (Check all applicable) X Director			Ü	10%	Owner -	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 306 SOUTH 93RD AVENUE					3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year) 12/31/2008					r/Year)	Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)						
(Street) OMAHA (City)	NE (Sta		58114 Zip)	4. If Amen 01/29/20		, Date	of Ori	iginal File	d (Month/	Day/Yea		6. Inc Line) X	Form	i filed by O	ne Re	eporting Pe	
		Tabl	e I - Non-Deriv	ative Sec	uritie	es Ac	quir	red, Di	sposed	of, or	Benefici	ally	/ Owne	ed			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Dispose (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			or Disposed	5. Amou Securitie Benefici Owned a		s ally	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
								Amount		(A) or (D)	Price		Issuer's	s Fiscal lìnd			(Instr. 4)
Common Stock			08/12/2008		A			67.0266 ⁽¹		A	\$40.62		14,734.8799		D		
Common Stock			11/12/2008		A			84.7	201(2)	A	\$32.28		14,819.6022		D		
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. Nu of Deriv Secu Acqu (A) of Dispo of (D) (Instr and 5	vative rities rired r osed)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Date Exercisable Expiration Date		Amo Secu Und Deri Secu and	Amount or Number of	nt er		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		10. Ownershi Form: Direct (D) or Indirec (I) (Instr. 4	Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4)	

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. DER units credited on 08/12/2008 as dividends at FMV
- 2. DER units credited on 11/12/2008 as dividends at FMV

Remarks:

Filed solely to correct fiscal year.

/s/ N.P. Dodge, Jr.

02/05/2009

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * 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).

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