## FORM 4

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  FARROW GLADYS					2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol AMERICAN STATES WATER CO [ AWR ]									5. Relationship of Reporting Pers (Check all applicable) Director			Owner		
(Last) (First) (Middle) 3825 CANFIELD ROAD					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/01/2010										X Office below	,	Other (specify below)  President		
(Street) PASADENA CA 91107 (City) (State) (Zip)						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     X Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
		Tabl	e I - Nor	-Deriv	ative	Se	curitie	es Acc	quired,	Dis	posed o	f, or	Bene	eficia	ally Own	ed			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Date)				Execu Day/Year) if any		2A. Deer Execution if any (Month/I	on Date,	Code (	Transaction Disp		ecurities Acquired (A osed Of (D) (Instr. 3,			nd Secui Bene	icially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
									Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price	Trans	action(s) 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock 02/01/					./2010				A		2,182	2	A	\$(	) 4,4	85.1673	D		
		Та	ıble II - C								sed of, onvertib				y Owned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	n Date e (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			or Nu		str. 3 ount nber	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	

**Explanation of Responses:** 

/s/ Gladys Farrow

02/03/2010

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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- $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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