FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington,	D.C. 20549
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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Pillai Sunil					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AMERICAN STATES WATER CO AWR								(Ched	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner  X Officer (give title Other (specify					
(Last) 630 E F	(First) (Middle) E FOOTHILL BLVD.					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/01/2021								VP ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY					
(Street) SAN DIMAS CA 91773 (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If A	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					
(0.13)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Date)				ction 2A. Exe		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 5)			A) or 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Follow		ount of ties cially I Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirec (I) (Instr. 4)	of Indirect Endirect Beneficial Ownership		
									v	Amount	(A) (D)	or I	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)		
Common Shares				03/02/2				A		1.8378(1)	A	1	\$80.49	1,53	36.3677	D			
Common Shares 06/				06/01/2	5/01/2020						1.8295(2)	A \$		\$81.16	1,538.1972		D		
Common Shares 09/0				09/01/2	:020				A		2.1769(3)	1769 <sup>(3)</sup> A		\$75.2	1,540.3742		D		
Common Shares 12/01/				12/01/2	.020				A		2.2089(4)	A	1	\$74.44 1,5		12.5831	D		
Common Shares 02/01/				02/01/2	2021				D		1.8408 <sup>(5)</sup>	Ι	)	\$0.00	1,540.7423		D		
Common Shares 02/01/.				02/01/2	2021				A		26.82 <sup>(6)</sup>	6.82 <sup>(6)</sup> D		\$0.00	2	.6.82	I	401k	
Common Shares 02/01/20				.021				A		566	I		\$0.00	2,106.7423		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  (Instr. 3)  3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)  3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)				4. Transa Code ( 8)			6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Ins 3 and 4)		Se (Ir	Price of erivative ecurity estr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial! Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	Ownersh Form: Direct (D or Indire (I) (Instr.	Beneficial Ownership ot (Instr. 4)			
					Code	v	(A) (D)		Date Exercisable		Expiration Date	Title	Nun of						

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. DER unites credited on 03/02/2020 as dividend at FMV
- 2. DER Units credited on 06/01/2020 as dividend at FMV
- 3. DER Units credited on 09/01/2020 as dividend at FMV
- 4 DER units credited on 12/01/2020 as dividend at FMV
- 5. Adjustment due to partial share
- 6. Updated 401k Information

## Remarks:

/s/ Sunil Pillai

02/03/2021

\*\* 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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