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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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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>FARROW GLADYS</u>			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>AMERICAN STATES WATER CO</u> [AWR]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner Officer (give title V Other (specify
(Last) (First) (Middle) 3825 CANFIELD ROAD		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/15/2006	below) Controller
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)
PASADENA	CA	91107		X Form filed by One Reporting Person
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	—	Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

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	3.					5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
			Code V		Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)
Common Stock	11/14/2006		М		496	Α	\$25.55	496	D	
Common Stock	11/14/2006		М		248	Α	\$25.92	744	D	
Common Stock	11/14/2006		S		496	D	\$37.65	248	D	
Common Stock	11/14/2006		S		248	D	\$37.65	0	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. Transa Code (8)		5. Nu of Deriv Secu Acqu (A) of Dispo of (D) (Instr and 5	rities ired r osed) : 3, 4	Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		e and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 25.55	11/14/2006		М			496	(1)	02/01/2014	Common Stock	496	\$ <u>0</u>	254	D	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$25.92	11/14/2006		М			248	(2)	01/02/2015	Common Stock	248	\$0	502	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. The Option becam exercisable as to 248 of the 750 total number of shares subject to the option on February 1, 2005, and additional 248 on February 1, 2006 and on February 1, 2007 an additional 254. 2. The Option becam exercisable as to 248 of the 750 total number of shares subject to the option on January 2, 2006, an additional 248 on January 2, 2007 and on January 2, 2008 an additional 254.

<u>/s/ Gladys Farrow</u>
** Signature of Reporting Person

<u>11/15/2006</u> 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).

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