FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol AMERICAN STATES WATER CO [ AWR ]									Relationship of Reporting (Check all applicable)     X Director			g Person(s) to Issuer 10% Owner		
(Last) (First) (Middle) 954 SOUTH 117TH COURT					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/03/2013									Officer (give title below)				Other (specify below)		
(Street) OMAHA (City)	AHA NE 68154				4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. 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 - No	n-Deriv	ative	Sec	uritie	s Ac	quired	, Dis	posed o	f, o	r Ben	efic	ially	Owne	ed			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Date)						Exe () if a	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) of Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4				and 5) Secu Bene Own		icially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	Amount			(A) or (D)	Price		Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			("					
Common	02/15/	02/15/2013				A		74.6843	(1)	A	\$51.52		15,776.9623		D					
Common Shares					05/15/2013						68.5152	(2)	A	\$54.38		15,845.4775		D		
Common Shares				06/03/	06/03/2013				S		200		D	\$54.09		15,645.4775		D		
Common Shares				06/03/2013					S		1,213		D	\$54.07		14,432.4775		D		
Common Shares 06/					03/2013						100		D	\$54.05		14,332.4775		D		
Common Shares 06/				06/03/	03/2013				S	s 1,40			D	\$54.04		12,932.4775		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. Deen Executio if any (Month/E	n Date,	4. Transa Code (I 8)		of		6. Date Exerci Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Ye		te	Am Sec Un Dec	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		Deri Sec (Ins		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction( (Instr. 4)	Owner Form Direct or Ind (I) (In		11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v			Date Exercisa		Expiration Date	Titl	or Number of Title Shares							

## Explanation of Responses:

- 1. DER units credited on 2/15/2013 as dividend at FMV
- 2. DER units credited on 5/15/2013 as dividend at FMV

<u>/s/ Robert F. Kathol</u> <u>06/04/2013</u>

\*\* 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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