FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  ROSS LLOYD E							2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AMERICAN STATES WATER CO [ AWR ]										Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)     X Director 10% Owner				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 630 E FOOTHILL BLVD.					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/05/2018											Office	er (give title v)		Other (specify below)		
(Street) SAN DIN (City)			91773 (Zip)		_ 4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									i. Individ ine) X	dual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
		Tab	le I - No	on-Deriv	/ative	Sec	uritie	s Ac	quired	l, Di	sposed o	f, o	r Ben	efici	ally C	)wne	ed				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Trans Date (Month/						Exe if a	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) o Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a				or 5. Ar and 5) Secu Bend Own		cially 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			action(s) 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)				
Common	02/15/2018					A		88.6524	(1)	A	\$53.13		49,694.365		D						
Common Shares 04/05						2018					1,100		D	\$52.59		59 48,594.365		D			
Common Shares 04/0						2018			A		663.9914	<b>1</b> (2)	A	\$0.00		00 49,258.3564		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. Dee Executi if any (Month/		4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Expirati (Month/	ion Da		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		str. 3		ivative urity	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4)	Owner Form: Direct or Indi (I) (Inst	D) ect	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
	Code V (A)		(A)	(D)	Date Exercis	able	Expiration Date	Title	or Nur of	ount mber ires											

## Explanation of Responses:

- 1. DER unites credited on 02/15/2018 as dividend at FMV
- 2. Updated Drip from Schwab Account

## Remarks:

/s/ LLOYD E ROSS

04/05/2018

\*\* 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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