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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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See Instruction 30(n) of the Investment Company

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading TANG EVA G Issuer Symbol AMERICAN STATES WATER CO (Check all applicable) [AWR] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner Other (specify X_ Officer (give title (Month/Day/Year) below) 1544 MANOR GATE DRIVE 02/11/2016 Sr. Vice President & CFO (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

HACIENDA HEIGHTS, CA 91745-3833

(State)

(Zip)

(City)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned
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Person

Form filed by More than One Reporting

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1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities our Disposed (Instr. 3, 4 a	of (D)	` ′	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					(A)		Reported Transaction(s)	(I) (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Shares	02/11/2016		F	281.3152 (1)	D	\$ 46.38	24,251.2515	D	
Common Share	02/11/2016		F	248.8273 (2)	D	\$ 46.38	24,002.4242	D	
Common Shares	02/11/2016		F	300.7087 (3)	D	\$ 46.38	23,701.7155	D	

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date		4.	5. ionNumber	6. Date Exerc		7. Tit		8. Price of Derivative	9. Nu Deriv
Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	of	.		Under	rlying	Security (Instr. 5)	Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	7 (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

TANG EVA G Sr. Vice
1544 MANOR GATE DRIVE President &
HACIENDA HEIGHTS, CA 91745-3833 CFO

Signatures

/s/ Eva G. Tang 02/12/2016

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
- (1) 765.2573 previously reported RSU's of which 281.3152 were withheld to satisfy tax withholding
- (2) 678.3735 previously reported RSU's of which 248.8273 were withheld to satisfy tax withholding
- (3) 754.0811 previously reported RSU's of which 300.7087 were withheld to satisfy tax withholding

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