Instruction 1(b).

FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* BONTA DIANA M				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AMERICAN STATES WATER CO AWR							5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  X Director 10% Owner			
(Last) 630 E FOOTHI	(First)	(Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/07/2021							Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below)		
(Street) SAN DIMAS	CA	91773		Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)						ridual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Ar Form filed by One Reporting Perso Form filed by More than One Repo		son		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	n Dorivo	tive (	Securities Acc	quired, Disposed of, or Benef				a oficially	Person			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transa Code ( 8)	ction	4. Securities A Disposed Of (I 5)	cquired	(A) or	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 Shares			08/16/2021			A		12.5804 <sup>(1)</sup>	A	\$90.51	15,722.1639	D		
Common Shares		09/07/20	21		S		518	D	\$93.63	15,204.1639	D			
		Table II			ecurities Acqu	•		•		-	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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title 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					

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. DER Units credited on 08/16/2021 as dividend at FMV

## Remarks:

/s/ Diana M. Bonta

09/08/2021

\*\* 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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