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

affirmative defen 10b5-1(c). See Ir	se conditions of Rule astruction 10.						
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  Mares Michael S JR  (Last) (First) (Middle)  1720 N. FIRST STREET			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CALIFORNIA WATER SERVICE GROUP [ CWT ]  3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/05/2024		tionship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer all applicable)  Director 10% Owner  Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)  Vice President, Operations		
(Street) SAN JOSE (City)	CA (State)	95112 (Zip)	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 03/07/2024	6. Indiv	ridual or Joint/Group Filing Form filed by One Rep Form filed by More tha		

### 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 3. Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Year) 3.			4. Securities Ad Disposed Of (D			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)
Common Stock	03/05/2024		A		0(1)	A	\$0	7,754.51	D	

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

-1	1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction	3A. Deemed	4.				6. Date Exercisable and		7. Title and Amount of		8. Price of	9. Number of	10.	11. Nature	ı
-1	Derivative	Conversion	Date	Execution Date,	Transaction		Derivative		Expiration Date		Securities Underlying		Derivative	derivative	Ownership	of Indirect	L
-1	Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise	(Month/Day/Year)	if any	Code (Instr.		Code (Instr.   Securities		(Month/Day/Year)		Derivative Security		Security	Securities	Form:	Beneficial	L
-1		Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	8)	8) Acquired (/		Acquired (A)		(Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 5)	Beneficially	Direct (D)	Ownership	L	
-1		Derivative			or Disposed of		or Disposed of			1 1			Owned	or Indirect	(Instr. 4)	L	
-1		Security			(D) (Instr. 3, 4					Following	(I) (Instr. 4)		L				
-1					and 5)		nd 5)		l			Reported			L		
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-1						l						or					1
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1					Code	٧	(A)	(D)	Exercisable	Date	Title	of Shares					

#### **Explanation of Responses:**

1. This amendment is being made solely to remove 1,616 shares of Common Stock reported in the original Form 4 pursuant to a restricted stock grant that was ultimately not effected.

## Remarks:

/s/ Michelle Mortensen of behalf of Michael S. Mares, Jr

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

03/18/2024

Date

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

- $^{\star}$  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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