FORM 4

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

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * HARRIS EDWARD D JR					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CALIFORNIA WATER SERVICE GROUP [ CWT ]										tionship of Reporting F all applicable) Director Officer (give title below)		Person(s) to Issuer  10% Own Other (spe below)		wner
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1720 NORTH FIRST STREET					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/04/2009														вреспу
(Street) SAN JOSE CA 94541 (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If A	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									dividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
Date					te E		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Transaction Dispos Code (Instr.		4. Securiti Disposed	ities Acquired (A) or d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a		or 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
									Code	v	Amount	(A (E	A) or D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)				(111301.4)
Common Stoc	ommon Stock <sup>(1)</sup> 03/04					/2009 A 1,180 A		\$ <mark>0</mark>	4,714			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. Deemed Execution Da if any (Month/Day/	ate,	Code (Instr.		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisa Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year		te	7. Title and Amo Securities Under Derivative Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)		lerlying urity	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction	e s lly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Code V (A) (D) Date Exprisable Date  Explanation of Responses:							Expiration Date	Title		Amount or Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)							

1. Restricted Stock Award granted 3/3/2009 pursuant to the California Water Service Group Equity Incentive Plan in a transaction exempt under Rule 16-b-3. The RSA vests in 12 months.

By: Lynne McGhee For: Dr Edward D. Harris, Jr.

03/05/2009

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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