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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)											
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] – FOY ROBERT W		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CALIFORNIA WATER SERVICE GROUP [cwt]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner			
(Last) (First) C/O CALIFORNIA WATER SERVIG GROUP, 1720 NORTH FIRST STRE	CE	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/03/2006					Officer (give title below)Other (specify below)				
(Street) SAN JOSE, CA 95112		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) 01/05/2006					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City) (State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned									
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	(Instr. 8)		or Dispose (Instr. 3, 4	ed of (D) and 5) (A) or)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	Beneficial Ownership	
California Water Service Group	01/03/2006		Code	V	Amount 973.773	(D) A	Price \$ 38.51	8,046.127	(Instr. 4) D		
California Water Service Group								2,162.957	Ι	401-K	

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)														
Security	Conversion	Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transact Code	tion	5. Number	A) d of	6. Date Exercis Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Y	sable and e	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities		Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	Securities Beneficially Owned Following	Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect	Beneficial
				Code	v	(A)		Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Stock option (right to buy)	\$ 38.51	01/03/2006		յ <u>(1)</u>		973.773		01/03/2007	01/03/2011	Common stock	973.773	<u>(2)</u>	28,973	D	

Reporting Owners

	Relationships						
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
FOY ROBERT W C/O CALIFORNIA WATER SERVICE GROUP 1720 NORTH FIRST STREET SAN JOSE, CA 95112	Х						

Signatures

Dan L. Stockton for Robert W. Foy	01/05/2006	
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date	

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).

(2) To be determined at the exercise price.

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⁽¹⁾ Issued pursuant to the Company's Equity Incentive Plan, securities were granted on 1/3/06 at an exercise price of \$35.81 and subject to vesting at 1/48 per month over a four year period.