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

Name and Address of Reporting Person*     BREED CALVIN L  (Last) (First) (Middle)					CA CW	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CALIFORNIA WATER SERVICE GROUP [ CWT ] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)									ationship of F call applicab Director Officer (g below)	le)	Person(s) to Issuer  10% Own Other (sp below)			
1721 NORTH FIRST ST					03/0	03/04/2009									Controller					
(Street) SAN JOSE CA 95112				4. If <i>A</i>	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						
(City)	(State)	(Zi <sub>l</sub>	0)																	
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Date					th/Day/Year) if		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a			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) or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)				(111501.4)					
Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup> 03/0					04/2009				А		890		Α	\$0	2,8	,875		)		
Common Stock <sup>(2)</sup> 03/0					/04/2009				Α		5,500		Α	\$38.38	8,375		Г	)		
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)	titve Conversion Date Execution Date, ity (Instr. 3) or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any			4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercis Expiration Date (Month/Day/Ye		e Securities Under		derlying curity	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Numbe derivative Securities Beneficia Owned Following Reported Transacti	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa		Expiration Date	Title	•	Amount or Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)				

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 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 monthly over 4 years.
- 2. Settled Stock Appreciation Right (SSAR) granted 3/26/2008 pursuant to the California Water Service Group Equity Incentive Plan in a transaction exempt under Rule 16-b-3. The SSARs vest monthly over 4 years.

By: Lynne McGhee For: Calvin <u>03/05/2009</u>

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

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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