

AMERICAN STATES WATER CO  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
**HODGES GRANVILLE R JR**  
  
 (Last) (First) (Middle)  
 2712 HARTFORD AVENUE  
  
 (Street)  
 FULLERTON, CA 92835-3034  
  
 (City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 AMERICAN STATES WATER CO  
 [AWR]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
 (Month/Day/Year)  
 01/31/2017

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
  
 (Check all applicable)  
 \_\_\_ Director \_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
 Vice President

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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**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 Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount or Price		
Common Shares	06/01/2016		A		10.1433 (1) \$ 39.83	D	
Common Shares	09/01/2016		A		10.4577 (2) \$ 38.85	D	
Common Shares	12/01/2016		A		10.3411 (3) \$ 42.69	D	
Common Shares	12/30/2016		A		546.4 (4) \$ 0	I	401k
Common Shares	12/30/2016		D		1.581 (5) \$ 0	D	



## Explanation of Responses:

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- (1) DER units credited on 6/1/2016 as dividend at FMV
- (2) DER units credited on 9/1/2016 as dividend at FMV
- (3) DER units credited on 12/1/2016 as dividend at FMV
- (4) Updated 401k
- (5) Adjustment due to partial share
- (6) 447.0403 previously reported RSU's of which 195.7143 were withheld to satisfy tax liability
- (7) 316.7420 previously reported RSU's of which 138.6698 were withheld to satisfy tax liability
- (8) 245.6653 previously reported RSU's of which 107.5522 were withheld to satisfy tax liability

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