SCANLON PATRICK RONALD

Form 4

February 04, 2013

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

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See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

01/31/2013

1(b).

Common

Shares

(Print or Type Responses)

SCANLON PATRICK RONALD			Symbol AMER [AWR]		CATES WATER CO	Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)		f Earliest T Day/Year)		DirectorX_ Officer (give	title Othe	Owner er (specify	
175 LILAC LANE		01/31/2013			below) below) Vice President				
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
			Filed(Mo	nth/Day/Yea		Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by O	one Reporting Pe	rson	
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative Securities Acqu	iired, Disposed of,	, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	e 2A. Deen	ned	3.	4. Securities Acquired (A)	5. Amount of	6.	7. Nature of	
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution	n Date, if	Transactio	omr Disposed of (D)	Securities	Ownership	Indirect	
(Instr. 3)		any		Code	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	Beneficially	Form:	Beneficial	
		(Month/I	Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)		Owned	Direct (D)	Ownership	
						Following	or Indirect	(Instr. 4)	
					(A)	Reported	(I)		
					(A)	Transaction(s)	(Instr. 4)		

or

(D)

D

Price

50.78

Amount

333.488

(1)

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)

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1. Title of Derivative	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transactio	5. orNumber	6. Date Exerc Expiration D		7. Title at Amount of		8. Price of Derivative	9. Nu Deriv
Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(monda, Day, Teal)	(Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Month/Day/		Underlyin Securities (Instr. 3 a	ng s	Security (Instr. 5)	Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

SCANLON PATRICK RONALD

175 LILAC LANE Vice President

BREA, CA 92823

Signatures

/s/ Patrick R. 02/04/2013 Scanlon

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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).
- (1) 760 previously reported RSU's of which 333.4880 were withheld to satisfy tax withholding

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