#### SCANLON PATRICK RONALD

Form 5

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Transactions

Reported 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer SCANLON PATRICK RONALD Symbol AMERICAN STATES WATER CO (Check all applicable) [AWR] (Middle) 3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Last) (First) Director 10% Owner \_ Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) below) 12/31/2006 Vice President 175 LILAC LANE (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting Filed(Month/Day/Year) (check applicable line) BREA. CAÂ 92823 \_X\_ Form Filed by One Reporting Person Form Filed by More than One Reporting (City) (Zip) (State) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) 5. Amount of 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction or Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned at end Direct (D) Ownership (Instr. 4) of Issuer's or Indirect (A) Fiscal Year (I) or (Instr. 3 and 4) (Instr. 4) (D) Price Amount 3.236.9908 Â 12/31/2006 \$0 Common Α 7,939.6677 I 401(K) (1) Persons who respond to the collection of information SEC 2270 Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of contained in this form are not required to respond unless 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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Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
					(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount of Number of Shares
Common	\$0	12/31/2006	Â	A	21.9814	Â	(2)	$\hat{A}$ $\underline{(3)}$	Common	21.9814

5. Number of

6. Date Exercisable and

7. Title and Amount of

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
. 9	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
SCANLON PATRICK RONALD 175 LILAC LANE BREA, CA 92823	Â	Â	Vice President	Â			

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed

## **Signatures**

1. Title of

/s/ Patrick R. 02/15/2007 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) Updated 401K employer contributions of Company Stock
- (2) DER units credited on RSU award for 3 years vesting 1/3 annually Jan. 07, Jan. 08 & Jan. 09
- (3) No expiration date. Automatically converts to shares upon vesting dates listed in FN 2.

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