Massaro Paul Form 4 June 28, 2010

### FORM 4

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Massaro Paul |         |          | 2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer   |  |  |  |
|--|---------|----------|--|--|--|--|--|
|  |         |          | CASELLA WASTE SYSTEMS INC [CWST]                   | (Check all applicable)   |  |  |  |
| (Last)   | (First) | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction                    | Director 10% Owner   |  |  |  |
| 25 GREENS HILL LANE                                    |         |          | (Month/Day/Year)<br>06/10/2010                     | _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) Principal Financial Officer                            |  |  |  |
| (Street)   |         |          | 4. If Amendment, Date Original                     | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  |  |  |  |
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| (City)                               | (State) (                               | Zip) Table  | e I - Non-De                           | erivative S  | ecurit                         | ies Acc | quired, Disposed   | of, or Beneficial  | lly Owned   |
|--------------------------------------|---|---|--|--|--------------------------------|---------|--|--|---|
| 1.Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3.<br>Transactio<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 4. Securi<br>on Acquirec<br>Disposec<br>(Instr. 3, | l (A) or l of (D) 4 and (A) or | )       | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or<br>Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
| Class A<br>Common<br>Stock           | 06/11/2010                              |   | M(4) V                                 | 1,733  | A                              | \$0     | 8,943  | D  |   |

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<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transactic<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 5. Number omf Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | ve Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) |                    | Underlying Securities      |  | 8. Pr<br>Deri<br>Secu<br>(Inst |
|---|---|---|---|--|--|-------------------------------------|--------------------|----------------------------|--|--------------------------------|
|   |   |   |   | Code V                                 | (A) (D)  | Date<br>Exercisable                 | Expiration<br>Date | Title                      | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares |                                |
| Restricted<br>Stock Unit                            | <u>(1)</u>  | 06/10/2010                              |   | A                                      | 8,264<br>(2)   | (2)                                 | (2)                | Class A<br>Common<br>Stock | 8,264                                  | 9                              |
| Restricted<br>Stock Unit                            | (1)   | 06/11/2010                              |   | M(4)                                   | 1,733  | (3)                                 | (3)                | Class A<br>Common<br>Stock | 1,733                                  | \$                             |

## **Reporting Owners**

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Massaro Paul 25 GREENS HILL LANE RUTLAND, VT 05701

Principal Financial Officer

# **Signatures**

/s/ Shelley S. Rogers, Attorney in Fact for Paul Massaro

06/28/2010

\*\*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).
- Represents the award of Restricted Stock Units ("RSUs") under the Casella Waste Systems, Inc. ("Casella") 2006 Stock Incentive Plan. **(1)** Each RSU represents a contingent right to receive one share of Casella's Class A Common Stock.
- RSUs vest in three equal annual installments beginning on June 10,2011. These RSUs will be reported upon vesting pursuant to Section **(2)** 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and applicable regulations thereunder.
- RSUs vest in three equal annual installments beginning on June 11, 2010. These RSUs will be reported upon vesting pursuant to Section **(3)** 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and applicable regulations thereunder.
- (4) Reflects the settlement of vested RSUs for shares of Class A Common Stock.

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