AVISTA CORP Form 4 March 14, 2017

### FORM 4

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * DURKIN MARIAN M			Symbol	ne <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading  ORP [AVA]	5. Relationshi Issuer	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				
			AVISTAC	OKI [AVA]	(0	Check all appl	icable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Ear	liest Transaction						
			(Month/Day/Y	Year)	Director		10% Owner			
1411 E. M	ISSION AVEN	IUE .	03/14/2017				_ Other (specify			
(MSC-12)					below)	belov	′			
(11150 12)						Senior VI	P			
	(Street)		4. If Amendm	ent, Date Original	6. Individual	or Joint/Grouj	int/Group Filing(Check			
			Filed(Month/D	ay/Year)	Applicable Line	Applicable Line)				
					_X_ Form filed	by One Report	ing Person			
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	2, 1111 //202				Person					
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I -	Non-Derivative Securities	s Acquired, Dispose	ed of, or Bene	eficially Owned			
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1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date,		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if	3. Transactio	4. Securities Acquired (A) omr Disposed of (D)	5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership	7. Nature of Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	Beneficially	Form:	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)		Owned	Direct (D)	Ownership
					Following	or Indirect	(Instr. 4)
				(4)	Reported	(I)	
				(A)	Transaction(s)	(Instr. 4)	
			Code V	or Amount (D) Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	03/14/2017		S	2,000 D \$ 38.8689	78,343	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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						Exercisable	Date	Title	Number		
									of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

DURKIN MARIAN M 1411 E. MISSION AVENUE (MSC-12) SPOKANE, WA 99202

Senior VP

## **Signatures**

/s/Marian M. 03/14/2017 Durkin

\*\*Signature of Date
Reporting Person

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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