KROPELNICKI MARTIN A

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

| . Name and Address of Reporting Person * KROPELNICKI MARTIN A | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CALIFORNIA WATER SERVICE GROUP [CWT] | | | | | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) | | | |
|---------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------|----------------------------------------|--------|-------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|--|
| (Last) | (First) (N | (] | . Date of Ea Month/Day/ 05/28/2013 | | | | | Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) | | | |
| | (Street) | F | 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) | | | | | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | Table I | - Non-D | erivative (| Securi | ities Acqu | iired, Disposed of | , or Beneficiall | y Owned | |
| .Title of Security Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | e 2A. Deeme Execution I any (Month/Day | Date, if T C y/Year) (I | | 4. Securit n(A) or Di (Instr. 3, | sposed | d of (D) | 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) | |
| Common Stock | 05/28/2018 | | | F | 303 (1) | D | \$ 40.75 | 75,826 | 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 Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transactio Code (Instr. 8) | 5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) | | ate | 7. Title a Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 a | of ng s | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr |
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| | | | | Code V | (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | or Title Nu of | umber | | |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

KROPELNICKI MARTIN A

President & CEO

Signatures

/s/ Michelle Mortensen on behalf of Martin A.
Kropelnicki

05/30/2018

**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).
- (1) Represents the number of shares withheld by and surrendered to the Issuer to satisfy the tax withholding obligations that arose in connection with the vesting of the Restricted Stock (RSA) Award #395.

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