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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Smegal Thomas F III			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CALIFORNIA WATER SERVICE GROUP [CWT]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
	CALIFORNIA WATER SERVIC COMPANY, 1720 NORTH FIRST		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/04/2015	Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (special below) VP, CFO & Treasurer			
(Street) SAN JOSE, CA 95112			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-Derivative Securities Acq	equired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned			

(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Table	I - Non-D	erivative (Secur	ities Acqu	uired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Security (In A) or Di (Instr. 3,	(A) or	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	08/04/2015		F	27 (1)	D	\$ 21.48	42,365	D	
Common Stock	08/05/2015		F	31 (2)	D	\$ 21.6	42,334	D	
Common Stock	08/06/2015		F	37 (3)	D	\$ 21.32	42,297	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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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> 10% Owner Officer Other Director

Smegal Thomas F III CALIFORNIA WATER SERVICE COMPANY 1720 NORTH FIRST STREET SAN JOSE, CA 95112

VP, CFO & Treasurer

Signatures

/s/ Michelle Mortensen on behalf of Thomas F. Smegal III

08/06/2015

**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 number of shares withheld by and surrendered to the Issuer to satisfy the tax withholding obligations that arose in (1) connection with the vesting of the Restricted Stock Award (RSA) Award #284.
- Represents the number of shares withheld by and surrendered to the Issuer to satisfy the tax withholding obligations that arose in **(2)** connection with the vesting of the Restricted Stock Award (RSA) Award #269.
- Represents the number of shares withheld by and surrendered to the Issuer to satisfy the tax withholding obligations that arose in **(3)** connection with the vesting of the Restricted Stock Award (RSA) Award #239.

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