FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D	.C. 20549
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obligations may continue. See	
Instruction 1(b).	

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  MORRIS SCOTT L					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AVISTA CORP [ AVA ]										k all app	licable)	ng Pe	erson(s) to Is				
(Last) 1411 E N	(Fir	,	Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/24/2023									belov	er (give title v) Chairman		X Other (s below) ne Board	specify				
(Street) SPOKAN	Street) SPOKANE WA 99202			4. If <i>A</i>	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									ndividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable e)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person								
(City)	(St	ate) (2	Zip)		l_	Rule 10b5-1(c) Transaction Indication																
	Check this box to indicate that a transaction was made pursuant to a contract, instruction or written plan that is intended to satisfy the affirmative defense conditions of Rule 10b5-1(c). See Instruction 10.  Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Date)				y/Year) Executio			ution Date,		Transaction Disposed (Code (Instr. 5)		es Acquired (A Of (D) (Instr. 3,		4 and Secu Bene Own		cially   Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership				
								Code	v	Amount	(A) (D)	or Pri	ce	Report Transa (Instr. 3	ction(s) 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)				
Common	Stock			08/24/2	2023	023			P		1,561	A	. \$3	2.39	126,630 D					126,630		
Common	Stock			08/24/2	2023				P		1,539	A	. \$	32.4	2.4 128,169			28,169 D				
	Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																					
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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Expirat (Month	ion Da		7. Titl Amou Secur Under Derive Secur 3 and	int of rities rlying ative rity (Inst	De Se (In	Price of erivative ecurity nstr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transactions (Instr. 4)	у	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
					Code	Code V (A) (D)		Date Expira Exercisable Date		Expiration Date	Title	Amour or Number of Shares	er									

**Explanation of Responses:** 

/s/Scott L. Morris

08/25/2023

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- \* 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).

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