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#### FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Addre KENSOK JA	ss of Reporting Perso	n*	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>AVISTA CORP</u> [ AVA ]		tionship of Reporting Pers all applicable) Director	10% Owner		
I (LASI) (EIISI) (MIDDIE) I		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/02/2014	X	Officer (give title below) Vice Preside	Other (specify below) ent		
(Street) SPOKANE (City)	WA (State)	99202 (Zip)	4. If Amendment, Date of 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				

#### Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	Date (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Year)		Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Disposed Of 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)
Common Stock - 2011 Restricted Share Award	01/02/2014		F		142(1)	D	\$27.85	6,886	D	
Common Stock - 2012 Restricted Share Award	01/02/2014		F		142 <sup>(2)</sup>	D	\$27.85	7,177	D	
Common Stock - 2013 Restricted Share Award	01/02/2014		F		142 <sup>(3)</sup>	D	\$27.85	7,469	D	

# 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. Transa Code ( 8)		5. Nu of Deriv Secu Acqu (A) or Dispo of (D) (Instr and 5	ative rities ired osed	Expiration Da	Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			Expiration Date Amount of			8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares							

Explanation of Responses:

1. Shares sold to pay income taxes on final 1/3 of 2011 restricted shares that vested on January 2, 2014.

2. Shares sold to pay income taxes on second 1/3 of 2012 restricted shares that vested on January 2, 2014.

3. Shares sold to pay income taxes on first 1/3 of 2013 restricted shares that vested on January 2, 2014.

<u>/s/James M. Kensok</u>

01/06/2014

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

 $^{\ast}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).

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