FORM 4

Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See

Instruction 1(b).

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* WOODWORTH ROGER D						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AVISTA CORP [AVA]								Relationship neck all applic Directo	cable) or	g Pers	son(s) to Iss 10% Ov Other (s	vner
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1411 E MISSION AVE						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/05/2004									Officer (give title below) Vice P		below)	респу
(Street) SPOKAN (City)	KANE WA 99202			4. If <i>i</i>	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ne) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
		Table	e I - Nor	-Deriv	ative	Sec	urities	Acc	quired,	Dis	posed o	f, or Be	neficial	ly Owned	l			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date (Month/D					Ex r) if a	a. Deemed recution Date, any onth/Day/Year)		Transaction Disposed Code (Instr. 5)		ies Acquiro Of (D) (Ins		Beneficia	es ally Following	Form (D) o	: Direct r Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
								Code	v	Amount	(A) oi (D)	Price	Transact (Instr. 3	ion(s)			,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	
	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. Deem Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,	4. Transa Code (8)		of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Numbe derivative Securities Beneficia Owned Following Reported Transacti (Instr. 4)	e s Illy	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisal		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Performance	(1)	02/05/2004			A		5,300		(2)		(2)	Common	5,300	\$17.88	10,60	0	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. No conversion date shares awarded if performance measure is met.
- 2. Each performance cycle is three years in length. Shares will be issued at the end of each three-year cycle if performance measure is met.

/s/ Roger D. Woodworth

02/09/2004

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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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