## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  DURKIN MARIAN M						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol  AVISTA CORP [ AVA ]									(Check all a Dir		olicable) ctor		Owner
(Last) 1411 E. N	(Fii MISSION A	rst) ( VENUE (MSC-	Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/02/2014									X	belov	icer (give title Other (spe ow) Senior Vice President		
(Street) SPOKAN	IE W	<b>A</b> 9	99202		4. If	f Ame	endmen	t, Date o	of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)						6. Indiv Line) X	vidual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable  Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting			
(City)	(St	ate) (	Zip)													Pers		e man one re	porting
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
Dat			Date	Transaction ate lonth/Day/Year)		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Code (	Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5)				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	
										v	Amount	(A) or (D) Pr		Pric			ce		(Instr. 4)
Common Stock - 2011 Restricted Share Award				01/02	1/02/2014				F		338(1)		D	\$2	27.85	4	6,711	D	
Common Stock - 2012 Restricted Share Award				01/02/2014		4			F		980(2)		D	\$2	27.85	48,731		D	
Common Award	Stock - 201	3 Restricted Sha	are	01/02	2/2014	4			F		327(3)		D	\$2	27.85	49,404		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)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security (Month/Day/Year) if any (Month/Day/Year) 8)		Transa Code (	(Instr.	of Deri Secu Acqu (A) o Disp	osed )) :r. 3, 4	Expiratio (Month/D	5. Date Exercisa Expiration Date Month/Day/Yea Date E Exercisable D		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)  Amoun or Numbe of Title Shares		of s g e linstr. 3 mount r umber f	Deri Sec (Inst	rice of vative urity tr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		

## **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.

/s/Marian M. Durkin 01/06/2014

\*\* 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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