

Morris

FORM 4	UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION											
	Washington, D.C. 20549											
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	subject to Section 16. Form 4											OMB Number: 3235-0287
	or Form 5 obligations may continue.	STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP										Expires: January 31, 2005
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		Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility										
		Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(f) of the Investment Company Act of 1940										
(Print or Type Responses)												
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol								6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
						Avista Corporation (AVA)						(Check all applicable)
Morris		Scott		L.								x Director
												10% Owner
												Other (specify
												below)
1411 E. Mission Avenue												Senior Vice President
		(Street)		(Voluntary)		February 6, 2003						
												7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)
												<input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person
Spokane		WA		99202		February 10, 2003						<input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person
		(City)		(State)								
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned												
1. Title of Security												
2. Trans- action												
3. Trans- action												
4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)												
5. Amount of Securities												
6. Ownership Form:												
7. Nature of Indirect Ownership												
(Instr. 3)												
Date												
Code (Instr. 8)												
(Month/												
End of												
Beneficially Owned at												
Direct (D) or Indirect (I)												
(Instr. 4)												

					Day/ Year	Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Month (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)			
Common Stock											236	D			
Common Stock (401(k) Investment Plan Shares)											5,572	I	By Trustee		
Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.															(Over)
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FORM 4 (continued)	Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)														
1. Title of Derivative Security		2. Conversion or Exercise	3. Transaction Date	4. Transaction Code	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities		8. Price of Derivative Security	9. Number of Derivative Securities	10. Ownership Form of Derivative Security		11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
(Instr. 3)			(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Month/Day/Year)		(Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 5)	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)		(Instr. 4)	
Performance Shares			02-06-03	A	15,500	*		Com. Stk.	15,500	15,500	D				

Explanation of Responses:

* 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.

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See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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***Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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												(Check all applicable)	
				Avista Corporation (AVA)				Director				10% Owner	
Morris		Scott		L.				x		Officer (give title below)		Other (specify below)	
(Last)		(First)		(Middle)		3. I.R.S. Identification		4. Statement for					
						Number of Reporting		Month/Day/Year					
1411 E. Mission Avenue				Person, if an entity				Senior Vice President					
		(Street)				(Voluntary)		February 6, 2003					
								5. If Amendment, Date				7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)	
								of Original (Month/Year)				x Form filed by One Reporting Person	
Spokane		WA		99202				February 10, 2003				Form filed by More than One Reporting Person	
(City)		(State)		(Zip)									

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1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Trans- action Date (Month/ Day/ Year)	3. Trans- action Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at End of Month (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Ownership (Instr. 4)
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