Vermillion Dennis P Form 4 January 04, 2018

## FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

2 Jaguar Nama and Tielzer or Trading

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

Vermillion Dennis P			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AVISTA CORP [AVA]				g	Issuer				
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction					(Check all applicable)				
1411 E MISSION AVENUE				(Month/Day/Year) 01/02/2018				Director _X_ Officer (give below) President	Owner er (specify			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check				
SPOKANE,	Filed(Month/Day/Year)					Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned												
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction (Month/Day/	any	eemed tion Date, if h/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	4. Secur. or(A) or D (D) (Instr. 3,	4 and (A) or	d of	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)			
Stock - 2015 2016 and 2017 Restricted Stock Awards	01/02/2018	3		F	1,297 (1)	D	\$ 51.5	40,186	D			
Estimated Shares held in 401(k) Plan								90.24	I	held by Trustee		

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(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. ionNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	
				Code V		Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

#### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Vermillion Dennis P 1411 E MISSION AVENUE SPOKANE, WA 99202

President, Avista Corp.

#### **Signatures**

/s/Dennis P. 01/04/2018 Vermillion

\*\*Signature of Reporting Date

Person

### **Explanation of Responses:**

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- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Shares sold to pay income tax on final 1/3 of 2015, second 1/3 of 2016 and first 1/3 of 2017 restricted shares that vested on January 2, 2018.

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