#### WOODWORTH ROGER D

Form 4

January 15, 2008

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

1. Name and A WOODWO	Symbol	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol AVISTA CORP [AVA]				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last) 1411 E MIS		3. Date of (Month/D 01/11/2)	•	nsaction			Director K Officer (give titow)		Owner r (specify
SPOKANE,	(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)  SPOKANE, WA 99202				Ap	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-De	erivative S	ecurit	ties Acquire	ed, Disposed of, o	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)  Common Stock - Restricted Share Award	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)  01/11/2008		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		ties Acsed of 4 and (A) or (D)	equired (A) (D)		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock held in 401(k) Investment Plan							17,565	I	by Trustee
Common Stock held							4,804	I	by Trustee

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in Executive Deferral Plan			
Common Stock held in IRA Account	400	I	by Trustee
Common Stock held in IRA Account by Spouse	1,000	I	by Trustee
Common Stock held by Child Patrick D. Woodworth	112	I	by Child
Common Stock held by Child Bryce A. Woodworth	148	I	by Child
Common Stock held by Child Brianna M. Woodworth	109	I	by Child

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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)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivativ Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	;	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
			Code V	(A) (D)		Title		

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Date Expiration Exercisable Date

or Number of Shares

Amount

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

WOODWORTH ROGER D 1411 E MISSION AVE SPOKANE, WA 99202

Vice President

## **Signatures**

/s/ Roger D. 01/15/2008 Woodworth

\*\*Signature of Reporting Date
Person

### **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* 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).
- (1) Shares sold to pay income taxes on second 1/3 of 2006 restricted share award that vested on 1/07/08.

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