FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| Name and Address of Reporting Person* DEBENEDICTIS NICHOLAS | | | | | AC | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AQUA AMERICA INC [WTR] | | | | | | | | | heck a | | olicable) | ., | Person(s) to Issuer | |
|--|--|--|-----------------|--|---|--|--|---|-----------------------------|---|---------------------|---|----------------|---------|--|---|--|--|--|--|
| I | | | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) $08/10/2007 \label{eq:months}$ | | | | | | | | | | Officer (give title below) CHAIRMAN & | | below | ′ | | |
| (Street) BRYN MAWR PA 19010 (City) (State) (Zip) | | | | | | 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 I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/ | | | | Execut | | Deemed ecution Date, iny onth/Day/Year) | | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | | 4. Securities Acquired (A Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 5) | | | 4 and So | | | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | Code | V Amount | | (A) (D) | or 1 | Price | Following Reported Transaction((Instr. 3 and | | rted saction(s) | (Instr. 4) | (Instr. 4) | |
| Common Stock 08 | | | | 08/10/20 | 08/10/2007 | | 08/10/2007 | | | | 6,192 | . A | | \$16.14 | 475 | 533,094.96 | | D | | |
| Common Stock | | | 08/10/2007 | | 08/10/2007 | | | F/K | | 3,902 | : Г | | \$25.63 | | 529 | 9,192.96 | D | | | |
| COMMON STOCK - IRA | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 3,480.595 | | D | | |
| COMMON STOCK 401K | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 12 | ,433.04 | D | | |
| Restricted | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 4 | 14,222 | D | | | |
| COMMON STOCK - IRA | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2,783.96 | | I | IRA - SPOUSE | | |
| | | T | able | II - Deriva (e.g., p | | | | | | • | osed of converti | - | | | y Ow | ned | | | | |
| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | Execu if any | Deemed ution Date, / th/Day/Year) | 4. Transa Code (8) | | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | 6. Date Expiration (Month/D | n Dat | te | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4) | | | Securi | | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction((Instr. 4) | Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
| | | | | | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisab | | Expiration Date | Title | or Nu of | umber | | | | | | |
| Stock Options (Right to buy) | \$16.1475 | 08/10/2007 | 08 | 8/10/2007 | M/K | | | 6,192 | 03/01/200 | 5 (| 03/01/2014 | Commo Stock | n 6 | ,192 | \$16.1 | 475 | 43,647 | D | | |

Explanation of Responses:

Brian Dingerdissen

08/14/2007

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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