

American Water Works Company, Inc.
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 Strauss Mark F.

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 American Water Works Company, Inc. [AWK]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 1025 LAUREL OAK ROAD
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 01/16/2015

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 SVP, Corp Strategy & Bus. Develop

VOORHEES, NJ 08043

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)
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(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V Amount (A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	01/16/2015		M	2,488 A \$ 0	25,821	D	
Common Stock	01/16/2015		A	2,801 A \$ 0	28,622	D	
Common Stock	01/16/2015		F	1,949 D \$ 55.71	26,673	D	

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

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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)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number 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 Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title
Performance Stock Units	(1)	01/16/2015		A	1,067 (2)	(1) 12/31/2014(4)	Common Stock
Performance Stock Units	(1)	01/16/2015		M	2,488 (3)	(1) 12/31/2014(4)	Common Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Strauss Mark F. 1025 LAUREL OAK ROAD VOORHEES, NJ 08043			SVP, Corp Strategy & Bus. Develop	

Signatures

/s/ Steven Robbins by Power of Attorney previous filed 01/21/2015

--Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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) Each performance stock unit represented a contingent right to receive one share of common stock of American Water Works Company, Inc. (the "Company"), based on the Company's annual total stockholder return ("TSR") relative to the performance of the other companies in the Dow Jones U.S. Utility Total Return Index over a three-year performance period, beginning on January 1, 2012 and ending December 31, 2014.
 - (2) Represents the above-target earned portion of the TSR performance stock unit. In 2012, the Company granted 1,421 performance stock units, equal to the number of shares to be received if target performance was achieved.
 - (3) Represents the earned portion of the TSR performance stock units, including target units granted in 2012 and above-target units earned based on TSR performance. The number of TSR performance stock units earned was 175 percent of the target.
 - (4) Represents the end of the performance period to which the performance stock units relate.

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