

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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			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		
											(Check all applicable)		
					Avista Corporation (AVA)						Director		10% Owner
Morris		Scott		L.						x	Officer (give		Other (specify
	(Last)	(First)	(Middle)		3. I.R.S. Identification						title below)		below)
					Number of Reporting								
1411 E. Mission Avenue					Person, if an entity						Vice President		
		(Street)			(Voluntary)				November 7, 2002				
											7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)		
											<input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person		
Spokane		WA		99202							<input type="checkbox"/> 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					2. Trans-	3. Trans-	4. Securities Acquired (A)			5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature of Indirect	
(Instr. 3)					action	action	or Disposed of (D)			Securities	Form:	Beneficial	
					Date	Code	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Beneficially	Direct (D)	Ownership	
						(Instr. 8)				Owned at	or	(Instr. 4)	
					(Month/					End of		Indirect (I)	

					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)												5,240	I	By Trustee		

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

*If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b) (v).

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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	2. Con- version or Exercise Price of Deri- vative Security	3. Trans- action Date (Month/ Day/ Year)	4. Trans- action Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Deri- vative Securities Ac- quired (A) or Dis- posed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exer- cisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/ Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Deriv- ative Secur- ity (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Deriv- ative Secur- ities Bene- ficially Owned at End of Month (Instr. 4)	10. Owner- ship Form of Deriv- ative Security: (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Benefi- cial Owner- ship (Instr.4)
Employee Stock Options	\$10.17	11-07- 02	A	26,250	*	11-07- 12 Com. Stk.	26,250	94,750	D	

Explanation of Responses:																
* The options vest in four equal annual installments beginning on the first anniversary of the grant date.																
																December 09, 2002
** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations.																
**														**Signature of Reporting Person		Date
See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).																
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