

PINNACLE WEST CAPITAL CORP
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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 *
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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 PINNACLE WEST CAPITAL CORP [PNW]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 400 N. FIFTH STREET, MS 8602
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 02/16/2016

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 ____ Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
 EVP & CNO, PVNGS, APS

PHOENIX, AZ 85004

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 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 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 or Price		
Common Stock	02/16/2016		A		2,140 (1)	A	\$ 0 (1) 11,887 D
Common Stock	02/16/2016		F(2)		1,007	D	\$ 67.25 10,880 D
Common Stock	02/16/2016		A		238 (3)	A	\$ 0 (3) 11,118 D
Common Stock	02/16/2016		F(2)		112	D	\$ 67.25 11,006 D
Common Stock	02/16/2016		G(4)		1,259	D	\$ 0 9,747 D

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- (2) Shares retained by the Company for the purpose of meeting tax withholding requirements. The recipient retained all other shares.
- (3) Represents shares of common stock received by the individual in settlement of dividend rights that vested in connection with the performance shares that vested on February 16, 2016.
- (4) The reporting person gifted the shares received on February 16, 2016 to a revocable family trust.

- Each Restricted Stock Unit represents a contingent right to receive the economic equivalent of one share of the Company's common
- (5) stock. The Stock Units will be settled, at the reporting person's election, in shares of common stock or 50% in common stock and 50% in cash.
 - (6) The Restricted Stock Units award was granted and was effective on February 16, 2016, and vests in four equal, annual installments beginning on February 20, 2017, and will be settled in four equal, annual installments beginning February 20, 2017.

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