Krasselt Ryan L Form 4 January 04, 2018

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Krasselt Ryan L

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

AVISTA CORP [AVA]

(Check all applicable)

(First)

(Street)

(State)

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

01/02/2018

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

below) below) Vice President

1411 E MISSION AVENUE

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

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

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

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1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of Code (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

Code V Amount (D)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially (D) or Owned Following (Instr. 4) Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4)

Common Stock - 2015 2016 and 2017

01/02/2018

420 (1) D \$ 4,869 F

(A)

Price

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

D

Stock Awards

Restricted

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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Titl	le and	8. Price of	9. Nu
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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Krasselt Ryan L 1411 E MISSION AVENUE SPOKANE, WA 99202

Vice President

Signatures

/s/Ryan Krasselt

01/04/2018

**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) Shares sold to pay income tax on final 1/3 of 2015, second 1/3 of 2016 and first 1/3 of 2017 restricted shares that vested on January 2, 2018.

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