

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 *
WHEELER STEVEN M

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. 5TH ST.
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 08/01/2005

____ Director
 ____ Officer (give title below) 10% Owner
 ____ Other (specify below) Executive V.P., APS

PHOENIX, AZ 85004

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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
| | | | Code | V | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price |
| Common Stock | 08/01/2005 | | M | | 11,500 | A | \$ 42.55 |
| Common Stock | 08/01/2005 | | S ⁽²⁾ | | 11,088 | D | \$ 45.67 |
| Common Stock | 08/01/2005 | | M | | 4,584 | A | \$ 38.37 |
| Common Stock | 08/01/2005 | | S ⁽²⁾ | | 4,199 | D | \$ 45.67 |
| Common Stock | 08/01/2005 | | M | | 5,041 | A | \$ 32.29 |

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|--------------|------------|------------------|-------|---|----------|--------|---|-----------|
| Common Stock | 08/01/2005 | S ⁽²⁾ | 4,291 | D | \$ 45.67 | 17,809 | D | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | 585 | I | by 401(k) |

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 Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | Amount or Number of Shares | |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|----------------------------|--------|
| | | | | Code | V (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 42.55 | 08/01/2005 | | M | 11,500 | ⁽³⁾ | 11/13/2011 | Common Stock | 11,500 |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 38.37 | 08/01/2005 | | M | 4,584 | ⁽⁴⁾ | 06/18/2012 | Common Stock | 4,584 |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 32.29 | 08/01/2005 | | M | 5,041 | ⁽⁵⁾ | 03/17/2013 | Common Stock | 5,041 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|------------------------------------|---------------|-----------|---------|---------------------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| WHEELER STEVEN M 400 N. 5TH ST. | | | | Executive V.P., APS |

PHOENIX, AZ 85004

Signatures

/s/ Steven M.
Wheeler

08/03/2005

__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) Includes 8,475 "performance shares" reflected at the target level, granted in 2003 and 2004. These shares are subject to the achievement of specified performance levels. This direct ownership amount also clarifies calculations of prior "performance share" holdings.
- (2) The minimum number of shares were sold solely for the purpose of meeting tax withholding and option exercise price requirements and to satisfy broker commissions. Mr. Wheeler retained all other shares received upon the noted option exercise.
- (3) The option became exercisable 1/3 of the grant per year commencing on 11/14/2002.
- (4) The option became exercisable 1/3 of the grant per year commencing on 06/19/2003.
- (5) The option became exercisable 1/3 of the grant per year commencing on 03/18/2004.

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