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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* DEBENEDICTIS NICHOLAS			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AQUA AMERICA INC [WTR]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 762 W LANCASTER AVE.		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/25/2011								X Off bel			(specify			
(Street) BRYN MAWR PA 19010 (City) (State) (Zip)		4. If Ar	mend	ment,	Date o	of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)						e) <mark>X</mark> For For	m filed by One	r Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable filed by One Reporting Person filed by More than One Reporting in		
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																
Diam's, (Manuel,	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr.						Secu Bene	ficially d Following	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	Tran	saction(s) . 3 and 4)	()	(,	
Common Stock	02/25/20	11				A		22,000	(1)	Α	\$ <mark>0</mark>	22	5,312.95	D		
Common Stock-GRAT												1	20,776	I	GRAT #2	
Common Stock-GRAT												12	0,855.878	I	GRAT #3	
Common Stock-GRAT												12	0,855.878	I	GRAT #3 - Spouse	
Common Stock-GRAT													20,776	I	GRAT #4 - Spouse	
Common Stock - IRA												3,	907.616	D		
Common Stock - IRA												3.	124.465	I	IRA - Spouse	
Common Stock 401k												1	3,728.97	I	401k	
Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																
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Explanation of Responses:

1. Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Common Stock. The restricted stock units vest on February 25, 2014.

/s/ Brian Dingerdissen, attorney-in-fact for Mr. DeBenedictis

 $\underline{02/28/2011}$

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

 $^{^{\}star}$ 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).

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