DINKEL PATRICK

Form 4

February 21, 2013

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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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 * DINKEL PATRICK			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) 400 N. FIFTH	(First) H STREET	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/19/2013	Director 10% Owner Officer (give titleX Other (specify below) VP, Resource Mgmt-APS			
PHOENIX, A	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person _ Form filed by More than One Reporting			
,				Person			

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)			d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	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	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	02/19/2013		A	1,782 (1)	A	\$ 0 (1)	4,336	D	
Common Stock	02/19/2013		F(2)	856	D	\$ 54.98	3,480	D	
Common Stock	02/19/2013		A	240 (3)	A	\$ 0 (3)	3,720	D	
Common Stock	02/19/2013		F(2)	103	D	\$ 54.98	3,617	D	

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. Transact Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number tion Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Derivative Expiration Date curities (Month/Day/Ye quired) or sposed of) str. 3, 4,		7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities	8. P Der Sec (Ins
				Code V	/ (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(4)</u>	02/19/2013		A	1,432	<u>(5)</u>	<u>(5)</u>	Common Stock	1,432	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

DINKEL PATRICK 400 N. FIFTH STREET PHOENIX, AZ 85004

VP, Resource Mgmt-APS

Signatures

/s/ Diane Wood,

Attorney-in-Fact 02/21/2013

**Signature of Reporting Person

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 acquired upon the vesting of a portion of the performance shares granted in 2010.
- (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 19, 2013.
- Each Restricted Stock Unit represents a contingent right to receive the economic equivalent of one share of the Company's common (4) stock. The Restricted 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.

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(5) The Restricted Stock Units vest and will be settled in four equal, annual installments beginning on February 20, 2014.

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