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

Form 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported) June 3, 2005

AMERICAN STATES WATER COMPANY

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

| California | 001-14431 | 95-4676679 |
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| (State or other jurisdiction of | (Commission File Number) | (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.) |
| incorporation or organization) | | |

630 East Foothill Blvd. San Dimas, California (Address of principal executive offices) **91773** (Zip Code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (909) 394-3600

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Section 1-Registrant s Business and Operations

Item 1.01. Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement

On June 3, 2005 American States Water Company entered into an Amended and Restated Credit Agreement Dated as of June 3, 2005 among American States Water Company, as Borrower, The Lenders Name Therein and Wells Fargo Bank, National Association, as Administrative Agent and Lead Arranger. The Agreement includes substantially the same terms and conditions as the original agreement which expired on June 5, 2005, except for the amount which increased to \$85,000,000 and the term which increased to 5 years. A copy of the Agreement, as amended, is attached hereto as Exhibit 10.1.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

The following documents are filed as Exhibits to this report:

Exhibit No. Description

10.1

Amended and Restated Credit Agreement Dated as of June 3, 2005 among American States Water Company, as Borrower, The Lenders Named Herein and Wells Fargo Bank, National Association, as Administrative Agent and Lead Arranger

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

AMERICAN STATES WATER COMPANY

Date: June 3, 2005

/s/ Robert J. Sprowls Robert J. Sprowls Sr. Vice President, Chief Financial Officer, Treasurer and Corporate Secretary