

CASELLA WASTE SYSTEMS INC
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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 *
 Johnson Edwin D

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 CASELLA WASTE SYSTEMS INC
 [CWST]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 25 GREENS HILL LANE, C/O
 CASELLA WASTE SYSTEMS,
 INC.

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
 03/06/2017

____ Director
 Officer (give title below)
 ____ 10% Owner
 ____ Other (specify below)
 President & COO

(Street)
 RUTLAND, VT 05701

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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
				Code	V	Amount	
Class A Common Stock	03/06/2017		S ⁽¹⁾	10,093	D	12.8	273,091 D
						<u>(2)</u>	

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)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Owned Beneficially (Instr. 5)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Johnson Edwin D
25 GREENS HILL LANE
C/O CASELLA WASTE SYSTEMS, INC.
RUTLAND, VT 05701

President & COO

Signatures

/s/ Edwin D.

Johnson

03/07/2017

**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) Represents the automatic sale of shares of stock for tax withholding purposes pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on March 15, 2016, in connection with the vesting of RSUs on February 24 and March 1, 2017.
- Represents the weighted average sales price for shares sold in multiple transactions. Upon request of the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, the issuer or a security holder of such issuer, the reporting person will provide full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- (2) Exchange Commission, the issuer or a security holder of such issuer, the reporting person will provide full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.

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