Instruction 1(b)

FORM 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* CASELLA JOHN W (Last) (First) (Middle) C/O CASELLA WASTE SYSTEMS 25 GREENS HILL LANE | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CASELLA WASTE SYSTEMS INC [CWST] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/10/2022 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|--|------------------------|--|-----------------------------|--|--|---|---|--|--|---------------------------------|--|
| (Street) RUTLAND VT 0570 (City) (State) (Zip) | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | |
| Table I - | Non-Derivati | ive S | Secur | rities A | cquire | ed, D | isposed of | , or B | Benefic | cially | Own | ed | | | |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Ye | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, ar) if any (Month/Day/Year) | | Transaction Disp | | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Follo | | ties cially I Following | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership | | | |
| | | | | | Code | v | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | | | ted action(s) 3 and 4) | | (Instr. 4) | |
| Class A Common Stock | 11/10/2022 | 2 | | | S | | 14,258 | D | \$81. | 38(1) | 10 | 6,728 | D | | |
| Class A Common Stock | 11/10/2022 | | | | S | | 5,127 | D | \$82. | 44(2) | 1 | 1,601 | D | | |
| Class A Common Stock | | | | | | | | | | | | 694 | I | By Spouse ⁽³⁾ | |
| Class B Common Stock | 09/14/2022 | 2 | | | G | V | 194,100(4) | D | \$ | 0 | 30 | 0,000 | D | | |
| Class B Common Stock | 09/14/2022 | 2022 | | | G | V | 134,000(5) | D | \$ | \$0 | | 6,000 | D | | |
| Class B Common Stock | 09/14/2022 | | | | G | V | 194,000(4) | A | \$ | 0 | 194,000 | | I | By Spouse ⁽³⁾ | |
| Class B Common Stock | 22 | | G | v | 134,000 ⁽⁵⁾ | A | \$ | 0 | 134,00 | | I | By SLAT ⁽⁶⁾ | | | |
| Table | II - Derivativ (e.g., put | | | | | | sposed of, o | | | | Owne | d | | | |
| Derivative Conversion Date Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if a | cution Date, 1 | 4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | | 5. Numb of Derivati Securiti Acquire (A) or Dispose of (D) (Instr. 3 and 5) | ve es d | iration | Percisable and Date y/Year) | 7. Title Amou Secur Under Deriva Secur 3 and | int of rities rlying ative rity (Instr | Der Sec (Ins | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4) | Ownershi Form: Direct (D) or Indirec (I) (Instr. 4 | Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
| Explanation of Responses: | c | Code | v | (A) (I | Date D) Exe |) rcisabl | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | r | | | | | |

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Represents the weighted average sales price for shares sold in multiple transactions, ranging from \$80.79 to \$81.77. Upon request of the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer, the reporting person will provide full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- 2. Represents the weighted average sales price for shares sold in multiple transactions, ranging from \$81.92 to \$82.86. Upon request of the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer, the reporting person will provide full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- 3. Held by Mr. Casella's spouse. Mr. Casella disclaims beneficial ownership of the securities indicated to the extent to which he does not have an actual pecuniary interest in such securities.
- 4. Represents a gift of shares to Mr. Casella's spouse.
- 5. Represents a gift of shares to a Spousal Lifetime Access Trust ("SLAT") for the benefit of Mr. Casella's spouse. Mr. Casella's spouse is the trustee of the SLAT.
- 6. Held by the SLAT for the benefit of Mr. Casella's spouse. Mr. Casella's spouse is the trustee of the SLAT. Mr. Casella disclaims beneficial ownership of the securities indicated to the extent to which he does not have an actual pecuniary interest in such securities

Remarks:

/s/ John W. Casella

11/15/2022

** Signature of Reporting Person

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

- * 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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