## FORM 4

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## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Coletta Edmond					<u>C</u> A	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol  CASELLA WASTE SYSTEMS INC  CWST ]								(Check	ationship of Reportin all applicable) Director Officer (give title		g Person(s) to Issuer  10% Owner  Other (specify	
(Last) 25 GREE	(Last) (First) (Middle) 25 GREENS HILL LANE					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/12/2019								X	below) Senior Vice Pr		belo	w)
(Street) RUTLAN (City)			)5701 Zip)		4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							6. Indiv Line) X	vidual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable  Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting  Person				
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																	
Date			Date	Transaction te onth/Day/Year) 2A. Deemed Execution D if any (Month/Day/		ate,	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 at			and 5) Sec Ben		ount of ities icially 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		Trans	action(s) 3 and 4)		(1130.4)	
Class A Common Stock 03/				03/12/	2019				A <sup>(1)</sup>		5,074	A	\$	0	157,507		D	
Class A C	ass A Common Stock 03/13/201				2019	19		<b>S</b> <sup>(2)</sup>		1,255	D	\$34.1	.83(3)	156,252		D		
		Та	ble II								osed of, convertib				vned			
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)  2. Conversio or Exercis Price of Derivative Security		xercise (Month/Day/Year) e of ivative	Executi if any	Execution Date, if any		ransaction Code (Instr.		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisal Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year		ate Amour		Deri Secu (Inst	rivative curity str. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction( (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exerci	sable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Represents the award of Restricted Stock Units (RSUs) under the Casella Waste Systems, Inc. 2016 Incentive Plan. Each RSU represents a contingent right to receive one share of Casella's Class A Common Stock. RSUs vest in three equal installments beginning on March 12, 2020.
- 2. 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 March 12, 2019.
- 3. Represents the weighted average sales price for shares sold in multiple transactions, ranging from \$33.95 to \$34.27. Upon request 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.

/s/ Edmond R. Coletta 03/14/2

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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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