FORM 4

## **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*  LARKIN PAUL						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CASELLA WASTE SYSTEMS INC CWST ]								ck all applic Director	ctor 10% Owne			/ner	
` ' ' '						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/14/2011								below)	Officer (give title below)  President & (		Other (specify below)		
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		Tab	le I - N	on-Deri	vative S	Sec	urities /	Acq	uired, D	isp	osed of	, or Ben	eficiall	y Owned					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transacti Date (Month/Day)						Exe if ar	Deemed cution Date, y nth/Day/Year)		Transaction Disposed Code (Instr. and 5)		ties Acquired (A) o I Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4		5. Amount Securities Beneficiation Owned Followin	ally		: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership Instr. 4)		
									Code	ode V Amount (A) or (D)			Price	Reported Transact (Instr. 3	ted action(s)		,		
	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)				6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisab		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)	on(s)			
Restricted Stock Unit	(1)	06/14/2011			A		22,049 <sup>(2)</sup>		(2)		(2)	Class A Common Stock	22,049	\$0	22,04	9	D		

## Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Represents the award of Restricted Stock Unites ("RSUs") under the Casella Waste Systems, Inc. ("Casella") 2006 Stock Incentive Plan. Each RSU represents a contingent right to receive one share of Casella's Class A Common Stock.
- 2. RSUs vest in three equal annual installments beginning on June 14, 2012. These RSUs will be reported upon vesting pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and applicable regulations thereunder.

/s/ Shelley S. Rogers, Attorney in Fact for Paul Larkin

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- $^{\star}$  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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