FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  CASELLA DOUGLAS R				<u>C</u> A	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CASELLA WASTE SYSTEMS INC								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  X Director 10% Owner						
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(Last) (First) (Middle) 25 GREENS HILL LANE						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)									e Chairman, Bd of Directors				
C/O CASELLA WASTE SYSTEMS, INC.					03/	03/12/2019													
(Street)					- 4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
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(City)	(St		Zip)																
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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 at			l and 5) Secu Bene Owne		icially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
								Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		Repoi Trans (Instr.	action(s) 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)		
Class A Common Stock				03/12/2019					S		32,796	D	\$34.	\$34.15(1)		76,899	D		
Class A Common Stock 0				03/12/2	2/2019				A <sup>(2)</sup>		4,784	A	\$	\$0		81,683	D		
Class A Common Stock 0				03/13/2	3/13/2019				S <sup>(3)</sup>		531	D	\$34.	\$34.183(4)		81,152	D		
Class A Common Stock 03				03/14/2	3/14/2019				S		1,165	D	\$34	\$34.16		79,987	D		
Class B Common Stock																94,100	D		
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execut if any	ecution Date, any		Transaction Code (Instr. )		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		e Exerc tion D n/Day/	Year) Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Inst		t of ies ying ive y (Instr. 3	Deri Seci (Inst	ivative urity tr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code		v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Represents the weighted average sales price for shares sold in multiple transactions, ranging from \$34.00 to \$34.28. Upon request 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. 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.
- 3. 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.
- 4. Represents the weighted average sales price for shares sold in multiple transactions, ranging from \$33.95 to \$34.27. 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.

<u>/s/ Douglas R. Casella</u>

\*\* 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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