#### ROBINSON DONALD G

Form 4

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# FORM 4

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See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * ROBINSON DONALD G			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PINNACLE WEST CAPITAL CORP [PNW]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)		
(Last) 400 N. FIFTH	(First)  STREET	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/18/2009	Director 10% Owner Officer (give titleX_ Other (specify below) President & COO, APS		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person		
PHOENIX, AZ	Z 85004			Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State) (	(Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	rities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)			d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned 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	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	02/20/2009		M	535	A	<u>(1)</u>	14,482	D	
Common Stock	02/20/2009		D	535	D	\$ 28.71	13,947	D	
Common Stock	02/20/2009		M	875	A	<u>(1)</u>	14,822	D	
Common Stock	02/20/2009		D	875	D	\$ 28.71	13,947	D	
Common Stock							5,545	I	by 401(k)

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and An Underlying Sec (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	1
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	02/18/2009		A	13,252		(2)	(2)	Common Stock	
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	02/20/2009		M		535	02/20/2009(3)	02/20/2009(3)	Common Stock	
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	02/20/2009		M		875	02/20/2009(4)	02/20/2009(3)	Common Stock	

### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

ROBINSON DONALD G 400 N. FIFTH STREET PHOENIX, AZ 85004

President & COO, APS

### **Signatures**

/s/ Diane Wood, Attorney-in-Fact

02/20/2009

\*\*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) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Company's common stock or the cash equivalent.
- (2) The restricted stock units vest in four equal, annual installments beginning on February 20, 2010.

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- (3) This restricted stock units award was granted in February 2007, effective in May 2007, and vests in four equal, annual installments beginning on February 20, 2008.
- (4) This restricted stock units award was granted and effective in February 2008, and vests in four equal, annual installments beginning on February 20, 2009.

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