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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

COSTCO WHOLESALE CORP

Symbol

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

GALANTI RICHARD A

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

			/NEW [COST]				RP	(Check all applicable)				
(Last) 999 LAKE	` ,	(Month/			/Day/Year)				_X_ Director 10% Owner			
ICCAOILA	(Street)		4. If Am Filed(Mo			ate Originar)	al	A	 Individual or Joi Applicable Line) X_ Form filed by O Form filed by Mo 	ne Reporting Pe	rson	
ISSAQUAH, WA 98027					Ī				Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	le I - N	on-l	Derivative	Secu	rities Acqui	ired, Disposed of,	or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		Date, if	Code (Instr.	8)	onor Dispos (Instr. 3,	sed of		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	12/31/2015			G	V	800	D	(1)	30,536	D		
Common Stock	06/16/2016			G	V	500	D	(1)	30,036	D		
Common Stock	07/11/2016			S		2,400	D	\$ 167.076	27,636	D		
Common Stock									7,000	I	North Island Holdings LLC	

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transac	tionNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amou	int of	Derivative	
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	rlying	Security	
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8) Derivativ	e		Secur	ities	(Instr. 5)	į
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				Code \	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

GALANTI RICHARD A 999 LAKE DRIVE ISSAQUAH, WA 98027

X Executive VP and CFO

Signatures

Deanna K. Nakashima, attorney-in-fact 07/11/2016

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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