ARIZONA PUBLIC SERVICE CO Form 8-K May 16, 2012

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the

Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of report (Date of earliest event reported): May 15, 2012

Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter; State of Incorporation; Address and Telephone Number

Identification Number 86-0512431

IRS Employer

Pinnacle West Capital Corporation

(an Arizona corporation)

400 North Fifth Street, P.O. Box 53999 Phoenix, AZ 85072-3999

(602) 250-1000

Commission File Number

¹⁻⁴⁴⁷³ Arizona Public Service Company

86-0011170

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Item 8.01 Other Events.

ACC Decision in APS General Retail Rate Case

On May 15, 2012, the Arizona Corporation Commission approved the regulatory settlement agreement proposed by Arizona Public Service Company (APS) and other parties in APS spending general retail rate case without material modifications.

For additional information, see Retail Rate Case Filing with the Arizona Corporation Commission in Note 3 of Notes to Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements in the Pinnacle West Capital Corporation/APS Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarter ended March 31, 2012.

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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, each registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

PINNACLE WEST CAPITAL CORPORATION

(Registrant)

Dated: May 16, 2012 By: /s/ James R. Hatfield

James R. Hatfield

Senior Vice President and Chief Financial

Officer

ARIZONA PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY

(Registrant)

Dated: May 16, 2012 By: /s/ James R. Hatfield

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