FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT	OF (CHANGES	IN BENE	FICIAL	OWNERSH	HP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* PECHOTA GARY L				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BLACK HILLS CORP /SD/ [BKH]								k all applica	,		n(s) to Issue 10% Ow			
(Last)	`	First)	(Middle)									Other (s below)	pecify					
(Street) RAPID (D State)	57709 (Zip)		4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check App Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Persor Form filed by More than One Report Person													
		T	able I - Nor	n-Deriva	tive S	ecuritie	s Ac	quired,	Dis	posed o	of, or E	Benef	icially	Owned				
		2. Transa Date (Month/Da	Execution Date, Day/Year) if any		Execution Date, Transaction Di		4. Securi Dispose	urities Acquired (A) or ed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Beneficially Owned Following		Form: Direct I (D) or Indirect I (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
						Code	v	Amount	ount (A) or Pr		Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)		
Common Stock			03/02/	2/2015		I		3.773		A	\$49.8	7,017.7255			D			
Common	Stock											1,000		00			By Spouse	
			Table II -			curities Ils, warr								wned				<u> </u>
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	se (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date if any (Month/Day/Yea	Code (Instr				6. Date Exercisa Expiration Date (Month/Day/Yea		Securities Under		erlying urity	lying Derivative		er of e es ally g	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisab		xpiration ate	Title	Nu	ount or nber of ares		Transact (Instr. 4)	ion(s)		
Phantom Stock Unit	(1)	02/27/2015		A		385.2711		(2)		(3)	Commo Stock		5.2711	\$50.83	15,142.	1396	I	By Trust
Phantom Stock Unit	(1)	03/02/2015		A		123.1439		(2)	T	(3)	Commo		3.1439	\$49.8	15,265.	2835	I	By Trust

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. 1 for 1 Conversion Ratio.
- 2. Derivative Security is exercisable upon retirement under terms of the agreement.
- 3. Derivative Security expires upon retirement under terms of the agreement.

<u>Lorna J. Gunderman, by power</u> of attorney

03/02/2015

** 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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