FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  JORGENSEN KAY S						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BLACK HILLS CORP /SD/ [ BKH ]										olicable)	,			
(Last)	`	(First) (Middle)				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/05/2006									Offic belov	er (give title w)	Other (specify below)			
(Street) RAPID (			577011400 (Zip)			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Indiv Line) X	Forn Forn	or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable form filed by One Reporting Person form filed by More than One Reporting ferson				
		Tabl	e I - N	on-Deriv	ative	Sec	uritie	s Ac	quirec	d, Di	sposed o	f, or E	Benefi	cially	Owne	ed				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/					Execution Date,		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)				nd 5) Secur Benef		icially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)				
									Code	v	Amount	(A) o (D)	Price	Trans		action(s) 3 and 4)			(11150.4)	
Common Stock 07/05/20					2006	006		I		20.698	A \$33.8		.8199	199 6,417.3528		Ι	)			
Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																				
Derivative Conversion Date		3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	if any	emed on Date, (Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercis Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Ye		ate	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)				9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	n: ct (D) ndirect	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercis	sable	Expiration Date	Title	or Numbe of Shares							

**Explanation of Responses:** 

By: Roxann R. Basham, by power of attorney

07/06/2006

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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