## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>HELMERS STEVEN J</u>						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BLACK HILLS CORP /SD/ [ BKH ]									eck all app Dired	olicable) ctor	10% (	Person(s) to Issuer  10% Owner	
(Last) PO BOX	ast) (First) (Middle) O BOX 1400						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/07/2014								X Officer (give title Other (specify below)  SENIOR VP & GENERAL COUNSEL				
(Street) RAPID (	APID CITY SD 57709					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Line	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     X Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
		Tab	le I - No	n-Deriv	/ative	Se	curitie	s Ac	quired,	, Dis	posed o	f, or	Bene	ficiall	y Own	ed			
Date					Date (Month/Day/Year) if		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securit Disposed			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 (D	) or	Price	Trans	action(s) 3 and 4)		(1115411 4)	
Common Stock 02/					7/2014				F <sup>(1)</sup>		406.42	:6	D	\$53.8	53,508.645		D		
Common Stock 03				02/10	02/10/2014				A		2,533		A	(2)	56,041.645		D		
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deen Executio if any (Month/D	n Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		n of		6. Date E Expiration (Month/E	on Dat		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		D S (I	Price of erivative ecurity nstr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(: (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa		Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numl of Share	ber					

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Shares used to pay tax withholding associated with Restricted Stock Vesting.
- 2. Shares acquired through a restricted stock unit grant settled in stock under the Company's Incentive Compensation Plan.

Lorna J. Gunderman, by power 02/11/2014 <u>of attorney</u>

\*\* 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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