FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  JORGENSEN KAY S					2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol BLACK HILLS CORP /SD/ [ BKH ]								(Ch	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
(Last)	(F	irst) (Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/31/2005										Officer below)	(give title		10% Ov Other (s below)	
(Street) RAPID (			577011400 (Zip)			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							Line	Y Form	vidual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable  Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting  Person				
		Tab	le I - Non-	Deriva	ative	Sec	curitie	s Ac	quired	, Dis	sposed (	of, or B	ene	ficiall	y Owne	t			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Da					Execution Date			, Transaction Dispose Code (Instr. 5)		rities Acquired (A) ed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			5. Amou Securiti Benefici Owned	es Formially (D) (Following (I) (I		: Direct Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
									Code	v	Amount	(A) (D)	(A) or (D)		Transac (Instr. 3	tion(s)			(111511.4)
	Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																		
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Dat if any (Month/Day/Ye	ate, Ti	Code (Ins				6. Date E Expiratio (Month/D	n Dat		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)		curity	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	у	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				С	ode	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa		Expiration Date	Title	or Nu of	nount mber ares					
Phantom Stock Unit	(1)	01/31/2005			A		41.96		(2)		(3)	Common	0	0.00	\$29.79	4,149.39	9	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

By: Roxann R. Basham, by power of attorney 02/02/2005

\*\* 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).
- \*\* 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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