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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]								(Ch	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner					
(Last) PO BOX	(Fi	rst) (Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/01/2006									Offic belo	er (give title w)	Othe belov	(specify /)	
(Street) RAPID (57709 Zip)		4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Lin	e) X Forr Forr	vidual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
		Tabl	e I - No	n-Deriv	ative	Se	curitie	s Ac	quired,	Dis	posed o	f, or I	3ene	ficial	ly Own	ed			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transact Date (Month/Day					Execution Date,		Code (Instr. 5)			A) or 3, 4 and	Secui	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) or (D)		or	Price	Trans	action(s) 3 and 4)		(IIISti. 4)	
Common Stock 02/01/2				/2006		I		19.685		A	\$35.5	6,1	96.3088	D					
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security Date (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)			nsaction de (Instr. 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) de V (A) (D)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Date Exercisable Expiration Date		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4) Amoun or Numbe of Title Shares		etr. 3	3. Price of Derivative Security Instr. 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)					

Explanation of Responses:

By: Roxann R. Basham For: Kay S. Jorgensen

02/03/2006

** 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).
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