FORM 4

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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* <u>ZELLER THOMAS J</u>						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BLACK HILLS CORP /SD/ [bkh]								elationship of eck all applications of the contraction of the contract	cable)	′		
(Last) POBOX	`	(First) (Middle)				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/30/2005								Officer below)	(give title		Other (s below)	pecify
(Street) RAPID CITY SD 57709-1400 (City) (State) (Zip)					4.	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								ndividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable e) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
		Tal	ole I - N	on-Der	ivativ	e Se	curities	Ac	quired	d, Di	sposed o	f, or Bei	neficiall	y Owned				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transacti Date (Month/Day					Execution Date,		Deemed cution Date,		ction nstr.	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and				es ally Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reporte Transac (Instr. 3	ction(s)			(Instr. 4)
Common Stock 12/01/20					/2005)05		I		26.8941	A	\$37.230	3,380	0.9731		D		
			Table II						,		posed of, convertib		,	Owned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		3A. Deen Executio if any (Month/E	n Date,	Code (In				6. Date Exerci Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Ye		ate Amount 'ear) Securitie Underlyi		of G g Security	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Numbe derivative Securities Beneficia Owned Following Reported	e s lly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A) (E		Date Exercisable		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Transacti (Instr. 4)	un(s)		
Phantom Stock Unit	(1)	11/30/2005			A		191.519		(2))	(3)	Common stock	0	\$36.55	3,449.2	26	I	By Trust
Phantom Stock Unit	(1)	12/01/2005			A		29.6466		(2))	(3)	Common Stock	0	\$37.2308	3,478.9	07	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.

Roxann R. Basham, by power of attorney for Thomas J. Zeller

** 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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