FORM 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* EUGSTER JACK W				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BLACK HILLS CORP /SD/ [BKH]							Relationship of eck all applica X Director	Reporting Person(s) to Issuer ble) 10% Owner					
(Last) PO BOX	,	First)	(Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/31/2012					Officer (below)	give title		Other (specifically below)	pecify			
(Street) RAPID (D State)	57709 (Zip)	 	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)					6. I	e) <mark>X</mark> Form fil	Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable filed by One Reporting Person filed by More than One Reporting on					
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																
Date			2. Transac Date (Month/Da	Execution Date,		Code (Instr.			5. Amoun Securities Beneficia Owned Fo	Form: ly (D) or		: Direct II r Indirect E str. 4) C	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)				
						Code	v	Amount	(A) (D)	or Price	Transacti (Instr. 3 a	ction(s)					
Common Stock												17,000			D		
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 Date if any (Month/Day/Yea	Code	ansaction Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) 7. Title and Amore Securities Under Derivative Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)			Underlying Security		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	e s dly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
		Code	v	(A)		Date Exercisabl		xpiration ate	Title	Amount of Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)	on(s)				
Phantom Stock Unit	(1)	08/31/2012		A		438.5965		(2)		(3)	Common Stock	438.596	5 \$34.2	13,215.8	8828	I	by Trust
Phantom Stock Unit	(1)	09/04/2012		A		142.8535		(2)		(3)	Common Stock	142.853	5 \$34.23	13,358.7	7363	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.

Lorna J. Gunderman, by power 09/05/2012 of attorney

** 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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