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## FORM 4

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 Addre	1 0	rson*	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BLACK HILLS CORP /SD/ [BKH]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
BRUNDAGE BRUCE B				X	Director	10% Owner			
(Last) PO BOX 1400	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/31/2004		Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below)			
			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable					
(Street) RAPID CITY	SD	577011400		Line)	Form filed by One Re Form filed by More the	, ,			
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#### Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transaction		4. Securities A Disposed Of ( 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)

# Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of	. Title of 2. 3. Transaction 3A. Deemed 4. 5. Number 6. Date Exercisable and 7. Title and 8. Price of 9. Number of 10. 11. Nature														
Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transa Code (		of Ex		(Month/Day/Year)		Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Phantom Stock Unit	<b>\$0.00</b> <sup>(1)</sup>	01/31/2004		A		41.95		(2)	(3)	Common Stock	0.00	\$29.8	8,367.52	Ι	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

**Remarks:** 

### By: Roxann R. Basham, by

power of attorney

<u>02/03/2004</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).

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