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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* VAN DYKE WILLIAM G					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BLACK HILLS CORP /SD/ [BKH]							(Che	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Is (Check all applicable) X Director 10% C				
(Last)	`	irst)	(Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/21/2006								Officer below)	(give title		Other (specifically below)	pecify
(Street) RAPID CITY SD 577011400				4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)						Line	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable le) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)														
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																
Date				2. Transacti Date (Month/Day	Execution Date,		Transaction Disposed Of Code (Instr. 5)		ies Acquired (A) or Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and		5. Amoun Securities Beneficia Owned Fo	s Formully (D) (ollowing (I) (I)		Direct II Indirect E str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
							Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transacti (Instr. 3 a	ction(s)		'		
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	Code	Transaction Code (Instr.		umber of vative urities uired (A) isposed D) (Instr. 3, d 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa	ble	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)	on(S)		
Phantom Stock Unit	(1)	06/21/2006 ⁽²⁾		M			786.2849	(3)		(4)	Common Stock	0.0000	\$34.89	0.0000		I	By Trust

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. 1 for 1 Conversion Ratio
- 2. Derivative Security paid out as a lump sum distribution in cash on June 21, 2006 as a result of Board Resignation.
- 3. Derivative Security is exercisable upon retirement under terms of the agreement
- 4. Derivative Security expires upon retirement under terms of the agreement

Remarks:

By: Roxann R. Basham, by power of attorney

06/23/2006

** 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).
- ** 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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