FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>BASHAM ROXANN R</u>						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BLACK HILLS CORP /SD/ [BKH]									neck all ap Dire	olicable) ctor	g Person(s) to Is	Owner
(Last) (First) (Middle) PO BOX 1400					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/13/2008									^ belo	,	Other (specify below)		
(Street) RAPID CITY SD 577091400)	4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Lin	ie) X Forr Forr	Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(Si		Zip)											<u> </u>				
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
Date				Date	Date Month/Day/Year)		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Transaction Dispose Code (Instr. 5)		Disposed	rities Acquired (A) ed Of (D) (Instr. 3,			d Secur Benef	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 (D) or)	Price	Trans	action(s) 3 and 4)		(111341.4)
Common Stock 08/13					3/2008				A		2,132		A	(1) 14		046.512	D	
		Та	ble II - D (e								sed of, onvertib				Owned			
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Day	Date,	Code (Ins				6. Date Exercisable an Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr and 4)		tr. 3	8. 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)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisal		Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Shar	ber				

Explanation of Responses:

1. Restricted Stock Grant to employee under the Company's Omnibus Incentive Compensation Plan.

/s/ Basham, Roxann R 08/14/2008

** 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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