FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT	OF CHANGES	S IN BENEFICIAL	. OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* KORPAN RICHARD				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BLACK HILLS CORP /SD/ [BKH]					(Che	Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner					
(Last)	`	irst)	(Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/01/2006						Officer below)	(give title	Other below	(specify	
(Street) RAPID CITY SD 577011400 (City) (State) (Zip)			4.	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)				Line	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned															
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transar Date			. Transactio vate Month/Day/	Execution Date,		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 5) 4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4		I (A) or : 3, 4 and	or 5. Amount of		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
			Code V			Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(11341.4)			
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)	or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any		Execution Date	Code	Transaction Derivative Code (Instr. Securities		(A)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Year) 7. Title and Am of Securities Underlying Derivative Sec (Instr. 3 and 4)		es g Security	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s	Ownersh Form: Direct (D or Indire (I) (Instr.	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)	n(s)	
Phantom Stock Unit	(1)	06/01/2006		A		206.9169		(2)	(3)	Common Stock	0.0000	\$33.83	1,823.597	77 I	By Trust
Phantom Stock Unit	(1)	06/01/2006		A		17.6408		(2)	(3)	Common Stock	0.0000	\$34.1133	1,841.238	35 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

By: Lorna G. Zacher, by power of attorney

06/05/2006

** 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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