FORM 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* SCHOBER MARK A				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BLACK HILLS CORP /SD/ [BKH]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)						
			-									X Director		10% Owner		vner		
(Last)	`	irst)	(Middle)		3. Date)2/29/2		Trans	saction (Month/Day/Year)					Officer (below)	give title	Other (specify below)		pecify	
(Street)	CITY S	D	57709	4	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)						Line	Form filed by One Reporting Person						
(City)	(S	state)	(Zip)		Form filed by More than One Reporting Person								aing					
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																	
Date			2. Transact Date (Month/Day	Execution Date,		e, Transaction Code (Instr.			ities Acqui d Of (D) (In	red (A) or str. 3, 4 and	5. Amoun Securities Beneficia Owned Fo	s lly ollowing	Form	: Direct Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
							Code	v	Amount	(A) (D)	or Price	Transacti	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(111501.4)		
Common Stock 0			03/01/2	1/2016		I		3.19	8 A	\$55.	7 427.	427.254		D				
Common Stock 03/01.			03/01/2	./2016		I		56.10)4 A	\$55.	483.358			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	Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year	Code (Instr.		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisal Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year		Securities Under		s Underlying e Security	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	re es ally g	Ownershi Form: Direct (D) or Indirec (I) (Instr. 4	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisal		xpiration ate	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)				
Phantom Stock Unit	(1)	02/29/2016		A		357.0791		(2)		(3)	Common Stock	357.079	\$56.01	827.4	139	I	By Trust	
Phantom Stock Unit	(1)	03/01/2016		A		6.2392		(2)		(3)	Common Stock	6.2392	\$55.7	833.6	782	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.

Remarks:

/s/Lorna J. Gunderman

03/02/2016

** 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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