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>Buchholz Scott</u>					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BLACK HILLS CORP /SD/ [ BKH ]									Relationsh Check all ap Dire	plicable)	•	Person(s) to Issuer 10% Owner	
(First)	) (1	Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/10/2015									A belo	,	ŀ	Other (specify below) FO OFFICER	
SD (State		7709 Zip)		4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									ne) X Fori Fori	idual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable 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																		
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Common Stock 02/1				/2015	2015			F <sup>(1)</sup>		198.629		D	\$50	.65 28,765.471		D		
Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																		
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## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Shares used to pay tax withholding associated with Restricted Stock Vesting.

Lorna J. Gunderman, by power 02/12/2015 of attorney

\*\* 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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