FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  MADISON MICHAEL						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BLACK HILLS CORP /SD/ [ BKH ]										lationship of ck all applica Director	able)	) Perso	on(s) to Issu		
(Last)	`	irst)	(Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/04/2015										Officer ( below)	give title		Other (specification)	pecify	
(Street) RAPID CITY SD 57709					4.	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Line)	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ne)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(5	State)	(Zip)	n-Der	ivati	νο S	ocuri	tios A	\cauir		Die	nose	d of or	Rene	ficially	Owned					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Date)				sactio	ction 2A. Deemed Execution Date,			ear) 3. Tra Coo	Transaction Dispo		curities Acquired (A) or sed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a		A) or	5. Amoun Securities Beneficia Owned For Reported Transaction (Instr. 3 au	s lly ollowing on(s)	Form: (D) or (I) (In:		. Nature of ndirect Beneficial Ownership Instr. 4)			
Common Stock 11/04/					04/20	/2015			I			130.885 A			\$46.16	+`	9,884.5576		D		
	Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																				
Derivative Conversion Date Executity Or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if an		3A. Deemed Execution D if any (Month/Day/	Date, Transaction Code (Instr.			of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Expiratio	Date Exercisable and piration Date onth/Day/Year)			Securities Underlyin Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)			8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
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## **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:

11/05/2015 /s/Lorna J. Gunderman

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

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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