FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Evans Linden R</u>						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BLACK HILLS CORP /SD/ [BKH]										all app	onship of Reportin Il applicable) Director		10% C	Owner
(Last) PO BOX	,	rst) (Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/01/2011									X	belov	er (give title w) RES & COO	O - UT	below)	
(Street) RAPID C			57709 Zip)		4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Indiv ne) X	vidual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
		Tabl	e I - No	n-Deri\	ative/	Sec	curitie	s Ac	quired,	Dis	posed o	f, or	Ben	eficia	ally (Owne	ed			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date (Month/D				Execution Date,			3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			(A) or 3, 4 an	4 and 5) Secu Bene Owne		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) or (D)		Price		Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(111501.4)	
Common	Stock			12/31	/2010	2010		J	v	89.968	968 A		(1)	1,897.718		7.718 I by 401(k)			
Common	Stock			02/01	/2011				F ⁽²⁾		641.41	3	D	\$31	\$31.78 37,716.101 D					
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deen Executio if any (Month/D	n Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		n of		6. Date Exercisa Expiration Date (Month/Day/Yea		e	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)				vative urity tr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(: (Instr. 4)	Ow For Dir or (I)	nership rm: ect (D) Indirect (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
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Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Shares acquired through Dividend Reinvestment under the Company's 401(k) Plan.
- 2. Shares used to pay tax withholding associated with Restricted Stock vesting.

Remarks:

<u>Lorna Zacher, by power of attorney</u> <u>02/03/2011</u>

** 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).
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