FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Addres | 1 0 | son* | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BLACK HILLS CORP /SD/ [BKH] | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) | | | | | | |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|----------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|--|--|--|--|
| MADISON | <u>IICHAEL</u> | | | X | Director | 10% Owner | | | | |
| (Last) PO BOX 1400 | (First) | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/06/2016 | | Officer (give title below) | Other (specify below) | | | | |
| | | | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | 6. Indiv | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable | | | | | |
| (Street) | | | | Line) | J | (pp | | | | |
| RAPID CITY | SD | 57709 | | X | Form filed by One Reporting Person | | | | | |
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| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | tion Date, Transactio Code (Inst | | 4. Securities A Disposed Of (I | | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported | 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) | | (1130.4) |
| Common Stock | 07/06/2016 | | Ι | | 107.708 | Α | \$63.83 | 10,978.0126 | 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 | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transa Code (8) | | 5. Nu of Deriv Secu Acqu (A) o Dispo of (D (Instri and S | vative rities lired r osed) . 3, 4 | Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) sed 3, 4 | | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying 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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| | | | | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | | | |
| Phantom Stock Unit | (1) | | | | | | | (2) | (3) | Common Stock | 6,700.6294 | | 6,700.6294 | 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

** Signature of Reporting Person

07/08/2016

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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