FORM 5

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL **OWNERSHIP**

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Form 3 Holdings Reported.

Instruction 1(b)

Form 4 Transactions	Reported.	File	ed pursuant to or Sectior					ities Excha ompany Ac								
1. Name and Address o	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BLACK HILLS CORP /SD/ [BKH]							5. Relationship of Re (Check all applicable Director				10%	Issuer Owner			
(Last) (F PO BOX 1400	irst) (1	Middle)	3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year) 12/31/2008							Year)	X Officer (give title Other (spec below) below) Corporate Treasurer					
(Street) RAPID CITY S (City) (S	77091400 Zip)	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X 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															
1. Title of Security (Instr.	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Dispos Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			or Disposed	Securit Benefic		ies Ov		ership n: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
		((months buy/real)			Amount		(A) or (D)	Price		Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)		Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock		12/31/2008		J			28	284.63 A (1		(1)	10,703.29		03.29		D	
Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																
	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security Conversion of Exercise (Month/Day/Year) Figure 1 Figure 2 Figure 3 Fi		rative rities ired r osed . 3, 4	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Date Expiration Exercisable Date			Amou Secur Under Deriv Secur and 4	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4) Amount or Number of Title Shares		Price of rivative curity str. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactic (Instr. 4)	s S Illy	10. Ownershi Form: Direct (D) or Indirec (I) (Instr. 4	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		

Explanation of Responses:

1. Shares acquired through the Dividend Reinvestment Plan

By: Roxann R. Basham, by power of attorney

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

01/13/2009

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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