FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>EUGSTER JACK W</u>					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BLACK HILLS CORP /SD/ [ BKH ]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  X Director 10% Owner				
(Last)	`	First)	(Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/30/2009							Officer ( below)	give title		Other (s below)	pecify	
(Street) RAPID (			57709	[	4. If Am	endment, C	Date o	of Original F	iled (	Month/Da	y/Year)	6. I Lin	X Form fil	ed by One	Repor	Check Appl ting Person One Report	
(City)	(5	State)	(Zip)														
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																
Date				2. Transac Date Month/Da	Execution Date		Code (I	Transaction Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 Code (Instr.					Form:	Direct Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
					Code V Amount (A) or P					Price	Transacti	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			,iiisti. 4)		
	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/Yea	Code	action (Instr.	5. Number Derivative Securities Acquired or Dispos of (D) (Ins 4 and 5)	vative Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year uired (A) isposed () (Instr. 3,		ate Securities Unde		Underlying Security		9. Numbe derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported	tive ties cially I ing	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisabl		xpiration ate	Title	Amount of Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)	on(a)		
Phantom Stock Unit	(1)	11/30/2009		A		530.3352		(2)		(3)	Common Stock	530.335	2 \$23.57	6,975.19	967	I	By Trust
Phantom Stock Unit	(1)	12/01/2009		A		103.9544		(2)		(3)	Common Stock	103.954	4 \$23.82	7,079.15	511	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.

Lorna Zacher, as Power of

Attorney

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

12/02/2009

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).
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