FORM 4

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Otto Robert P				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BLACK HILLS CORP /SD/ [ BKH ]								ck all applica		g Perso	on(s) to Issu 10% Ow			
(Last)	,	irst)	(Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/03/2018									Officer ( below)	give title		Other (s below)	pecify
(Street) RAPID (			57709		4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)						6. Ind Line)	Form file	ridual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable  Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting  Person					
(City)	(S	state)	(Zip)															
		Та	ble I - Non	-Derivat	ive S	ecuri	ties A	Acquired	, Dis	pose	d of, or	Bene	ficially	Owned				
Date			2. Transact Date (Month/Day	Execution Date,			Code	Transaction Code (Instr. 3, 4				5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported		Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
								Code	v	Amou	ınt (A	A) or D)	Price	Transactio				
Common	Stock			10/03/2	018			I		56	5.92	Α	\$58.56	1,220.499			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 Dat if any (Month/Day/Yo	Code	action (Instr.	of Deriv	vative crities cired r osed ) r. 3, 4	6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day/	Pate Year)	7. Title and Amount Securities Underlyin Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)  Amount Number			ity ity unt or per of	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) Benef Owne Follow Repor Trans. (Instr.		e s ally g	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Phantom	(1)			$\top$				(2)		(3)	Common	2,57	6.0139		2,576.0	139	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:

10/04/2018 /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).
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