FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHAN	GES IN BENEFIC	CIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BLACK HILLS CORP /SD/ [BKH]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
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(Last)	(Last) (First) (Middle)						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/30/2004							Offic below	er (give title v)		Other (below)	specify
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date (Month/D					Execution Date,			Code (Instr. 5)				nd Securi Benefi Owned	cially I Following	Forn (D) o	m: Direct or Indirect Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
									Cod	e V	Amour	(A) or (D)			ed ction(s) 3 and 4)			(Instr. 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. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,		saction of Ex			6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)			of s g e Security	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	ly	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Phantom Stock Unit	(1)	11/30/2004			A		40.7		(2)		(3)	Common Stock	0.00	\$30.71	259.37	7	I	By Trust
Phantom Stock Unit	(1)	12/01/2004		ĺ	Α		2.64		(2)		(3)	Common Stock	0.00	\$30.45	262.01	L	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

By: Roxann R. Basham, by power of attorney 12/02/2004

** 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).
- ** 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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