BLACK HILLS CORP /SD/

Form 4

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1(b).

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Evans Linden R

(First)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Middle)

BLACK HILLS CORP/SD/[BKH]

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

PO BOX 1400

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

Director 10% Owner Other (specify _X__ Officer (give title

02/04/2014

below) PRES & COO - UTILITIES

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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Person

RAPID CITY, SD 57709

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - N	on-I	Derivative S	ecurit	ies Acqui	red, Disposed of	or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transa Code (Instr.	8)	4. Securities oner Disposed (Instr. 3, 4	d of (I and 5) (A) or))	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	02/04/2014		$A_{\underline{(1)}}$	V	6,258	(D)	\$ 51.39	75,091.792	D	
Common Stock	02/04/2014		F(2)		451.275	D	\$ 52.69	74,640.517	D	
Common Stock	02/05/2014		G	V	1,000	D	<u>(3)</u>	73,640.517	D	
Common Stock								2,145.721	I	by 401(k)
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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Titl	e and	8. Price of	9
Derivativ	e Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if Transact		orNumber	Expiration Date		Amou	nt of	Derivative	J
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	lying	Security	,
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Secur	ities	(Instr. 5)]
	Derivative				Securities			(Instr.	3 and 4)		(
	Security				Acquired						J
					(A) or						J
					Disposed						-
					of (D)						(
		(Instr. 3,									
					4, and 5)						
									Amount		
									or		
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title			
				Code V	(A) (D)						
				Code V	(A) (D)		*	Title	Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Officer Other Director 10% Owner

Evans Linden R PO BOX 1400 RAPID CITY, SD 57709

PRES & COO - UTILITIES

Signatures

Lorna J. Gunderman, by power of 02/06/2014 attorney

> **Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- 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).
- (1) Perforance Share Plan granted to employees under the Company's Omnibus Incentive Plan.
- (2) Shares used to pay tax withholding associated with Restricted Stock Vesting.
- (3) Charitable donation.

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