ZELLER THOMAS J

Form 4

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

ZELLER THOMAS J			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BLACK HILLS CORP /SD/ [BKH]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
(Last) (First) (Middle) PO BOX 1400			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/01/2005					(Check all applicable) _X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)			
D + DVD GVI	(Street)	00	4. If Amer Filed(Mon			te Original	l		6. Individual or Jo Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by 0	•	rson
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table	e I - Noi	n-D	erivative s	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
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Common Stock	03/01/2005			I		31.22	A	\$ 32.03	3,294.32	D	
Common Stock									50	I	By Son

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				Code V	4, and 5) (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer Other				
ZELLER THOMAS J							
PO BOX 1400	X						
RAPID CITY, SD 577011400							

Signatures

By: Roxann R. Basham, by power of attorney 03/03/2005

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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