EVERIST THOMAS S

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SECURITIES

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading **EVERIST THOMAS S** Issuer Symbol MDU RESOURCES GROUP INC (Check all applicable) [MDU] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) MDU RESOURCES GROUP. 05/17/2013 INC., 1200 WEST CENTURY **AVENUE** (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

BISMARCK, ND 58503

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 5. Amount of 7. Nature of 4. Securities Acquired (A) Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Direct (D) Ownership Following or Indirect (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) or (Instr. 3 and 4) (D) Price Code V Amount \$ Common By S 05/17/2013 30,000 D 26.9825 1,550,000 I Stock Corporation (1) Common 65,590 D Stock

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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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 Derivative	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4. Transactio	5. orNumber	6. Date Exercisable an Expiration Date		d 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities		8. Pr Deriv
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	Security				(A) or					
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				Code V		Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Phantom Stock	<u>(2)</u>					(3)	(3)	Common Stock	29,447.154	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
• 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
EVERIST THOMAS S MDU RESOURCES GROUP, INC. 1200 WEST CENTURY AVENUE BISMARCK, ND 58503	X					

Signatures

/s/ Debra S. Anderson, Power of Attorney

05/20/2013

**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).

The price reported in column 4 is the weighted average sale price. The shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$26.860 to 27.100, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to MDU Resources Group, Inc., any shareholder of MDU

- Resources Group, Inc. or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- **(2)** 1 for 1
- (3) Units are to be settled in cash after reporting person's retirement.

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