EVERIST THOMAS S

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

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Common

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * EVERIST THOMAS S			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MDU RESOURCES GROUP INC [MDU]				••••5	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middle) MDU RESOURCES GROUP, INC., 1200 WEST CENTURY AVENUE			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/13/2013					X Director Officer (give below)	Officer (give title Other (specify		
(Street) BISMARCK, ND 58503 (City) (State) (Zip)			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person uired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned			
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution I any (Month/Day	Date, if	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securiti our Dispose (Instr. 3, 4)	ed of (Price	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	05/13/2013			S	30,000	D	\$ 26.5639 (1)	1,670,000	I	By Corporation	

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 Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. ofNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed	umber Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) erivative curities equired		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Pr Deriv Secu (Instr
					of (D) (Instr. 3,					
					4, and 5)					
				Code V	(A) (D)	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						
	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

05/13/2013

**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 \$26.470 to \$26.620, 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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