

BERG DONALD C
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
BERG DONALD C

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
BROWN FORMAN CORP
[BFA/BFB]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
850 DIXIE HIGHWAY

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
06/01/2009

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
Chief Financial Officer

LOUISVILLE, KY 40210

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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)
			Code	V Amount (D) Price			
Class A Common	06/01/2009		A	1,570 (1) A \$ 0	12,427.02	D	
Class B Common					5,500	D	
Class B Common					2,455	I	By 401(k) Plan

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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Amount or Number of Shares
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 19.68					05/01/2003 04/30/2010	Class B Common 6,437
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 26.67					05/01/2004 04/30/2011	Class B Common 18,983
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 25.06					05/01/2005 04/30/2012	Class B Common 16,903
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 30.62					05/01/2006 04/30/2013	Class B Common 19,024
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 36.35					05/01/2007 04/30/2014	Class B Common 15,138
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 46.19					05/01/2008 04/30/2015	Class B Common 13,062
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 56.5					05/01/2009 04/30/2016	Class B Common 10,104
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 54.58					05/01/2010 04/30/2017	Class B Common 11,567
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 57.4					05/01/2011 04/30/2018	Class B Common 13,588

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
BERG DONALD C 850 DIXIE HIGHWAY LOUISVILLE, KY 40210			Chief Financial Officer	

Signatures

Diane Barhorst, Attorney in Fact for Donald C.
Berg

06/02/2009

__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) The reporting person was issued these shares of restricted stock pursuant to a fiscal 2009 performance-based award granted July 24, 2008, under the Brown-Forman Omnibus Compensation Plan.

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