

BROWN FORMAN CORP  
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# FORM 4

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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 \*  
Brown George Garvin IV

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 HWY  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
07/11/2007

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

LOUISVILLE, KY 40210

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

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**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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
|                                 |                                      |  | Code                           | V   | Amount or Price   |  |                                   |
| Class A Common                  |                                      |  |                                |   | 2,997,744   | I  | George Garvin Brown III Trust     |
| Class B Common                  | 07/11/2007                           |  | M                              |   | 410 A \$ 48.78  | D  |                                   |
| Class B Common                  | 07/11/2007                           |  | S                              |   | 200 D \$ 71.63  | D  |                                   |
| Class B Common                  | 07/11/2007                           |  | S                              |   | 210 D \$ 71.65  | D  |                                   |
|                                 |                                      |  |                                |   | 3,093.5 <sup>(2)</sup>  | I  |                                   |

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Class B  
Common

By 401(k)  
Plan

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. 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) | Amount or Number of Shares |                            |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|----------------------------|----------------------------|
|  |  |                                      |  | Code                           | V (A) (D)   | Date Exercisable   | Expiration Date   | Title                      | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)  | \$ 48.78   | 07/11/2007                           |  | M                              | 410   | 05/01/2006 08/31/2007                                    |   | Class B Common             | 410                        |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)  | \$ 31.33   |                                      |  |                                |   | 05/01/2005 04/30/2012                                    |   | Class B Common             | 646                        |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)  | \$ 38.27   |                                      |  |                                |   | 05/01/2006 04/30/2013                                    |   | Class B Common             | 929                        |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)  | \$ 45.44   |                                      |  |                                |   | 05/01/2007 04/30/2014                                    |   | Class B Common             | 1,528                      |
| Stock Appreciation Right                   | \$ 57.74   |                                      |  |                                |   | 05/01/2008 04/30/2015                                    |   | Class B Common             | 528                        |
| Stock Appreciation Right                   | \$ 70.63   |                                      |  |                                |   | 05/01/2009 04/30/2016                                    |   | Class B Common             | 725                        |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                  | Relationships |           |         |       |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
|   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Brown George Garvin IV<br>850 DIXIE HWY<br>LOUISVILLE, KY 40210 |               | X         |         |       |

## Signatures

|   |            |
|---|------------|
| Holli H. Lewis, Atty. in Fact for George Garvin<br>Brown IV | 07/11/2007 |
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\_\_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) Includes shares held under the Brown-Forman Dividend Reinvestment Plan.
  - (2) As of July 10, 2007.

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