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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Brown George Garvin IV

(First)

(Street)

(Middle)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

BROWN FORMAN CORP [BFA/BFB]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 12/13/2007

_X__ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title __ Other (specify

below)

850 DIXIE HWY

(Last)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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Person

LOUISVILLE, KY 40210

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-l	Derivative Sec	curities	s Acqui	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities oner Disposed (Instr. 3, 4 and	of (D) ad 5) (A) or		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)
Class A Common	12/13/2007		Code V <u>J(1)</u>	Amount 2,615,933	(D)	Price	381,811	I	George Garvin Brown III Trust UW
Class A Common	12/13/2007		<u>J(1)</u>	2,642,357	A	(1)	2,642,357	I	CBGB LLC
Class B Common							831 (2)	D	
Class B Common							3,236.2	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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber 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)	\$ 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
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 68.22					05/01/2010	04/30/2017	Class B Common	830

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		

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Brown George Garvin IV 850 DIXIE HWY X LOUISVILLE, KY 40210

Signatures

Holli H. Lewis, Atty. in Fact for George Garvin
Brown IV

12/13/2007

**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).
 - On December 13, 2007, the reporting person became a member and manager of CBGB LLC (the "LLC"), and acquired beneficial
- (1) ownership of the securities held by the LLC. Also on December 13, 2007, the George Garvin Brown III Trust UW contributed 2,615,933 shares of BFA to the LLC.
- (2) Includes shares held under the Brown-Forman Dividend Reinvestment Plan as of December 10, 2007.

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