

HARRIS FRANK W
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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 *
HARRIS FRANK W

(Last) (First) (Middle)

UNIV OF AKRON 617
GOODYEAR POLYMER CTR., 170
UNIVERSITY CIRCLE

(Street)

AKRON, OH 44325

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
BRADY CORP [BRC]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
08/05/2009

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

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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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
| Class A Common Stock | | | | | 21,429 | D | |
| Class A Common Stock | 08/05/2009 | | M | 3,000 (1) A | \$ 16.875 24,429 | D | |
| Class A Common Stock | 08/05/2009 | | F | 1,733 (1) D | \$ 29.22 22,696 | D | |

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) | 8. Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|-------------------------------|
| Deferred Comp Units | (2) | | | | | (2) (2) | Class A Common Stock | 0 |
| Stock Option | \$ 16.875 | 08/05/2009 | | M | 3,000 | 11/17/1999 11/17/2009 | Class A Common Stock | 3,000 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| HARRIS FRANK W UNIV OF AKRON 617 GOODYEAR POLYMER CTR. 170 UNIVERSITY CIRCLE AKRON, OH 44325 | X | | | |

Signatures

Barbara Bolens, as Attorney-In-Fact 08/07/2009

**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) On August 5, 2009, Mr. Harris utilized a "net exercise" procedure in connection with his exercise of 3,000 stock options (each with an expiration date of November 17, 2009). In that net exercise, 1,733 shares, valued at \$29.22 each, were withheld by Brady Corporation to satisfy the payment of the exercise price and the remaining 1,267 shares were issued to Mr. Harris.

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- The deferred compensation stock units were acquired under the Brady Corporation employee deferred compensation plan. Each deferred
- (2) compensation unit is the economic equivalent of one share of Class A Common Stock. The deferred compensation units become payable in shares of Brady's Class A Common Stock upon the reporting persons cessation of service as a director of Brady Corporation.
 - (3) Includes .4269 shares acquired on August 5, 2009 under the company's stock purchase dividend reinvestment plan.

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