### **BROWN FORMAN CORP**

Form 4 March 27, 2006

## FORM 4

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Add BROWN OWS	•	ng Person *	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
			BROWN FORMAN CORP [BFA, BFB]	(Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)	_X_ Director _X_ 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify		
850 DIXIE HIGHWAY			03/24/2006	below) below) Chairman & CEO		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person		
LOUISVILLE	, KY 40210			Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acc	quired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owner		

LOUISVII	LLE, KY 40210	Person							
(City)	(State)	(Zip) Ta	ble I - Non	-Derivativ	e Secu	ırities Ac	equired, Disposed	d of, or Benef	icially Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit on(A) or Di (Instr. 3, 4)	sposed 4 and 3 (A) or	of (D)	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 B Common	03/24/2006		M	54,306	A	\$ 24.56	55,362	D	
Class B Common	03/24/2006		S	1,100	D	\$ 79.25	54,262	D	
Class B Common	03/24/2006		S	200	D	\$ 79.26	54,062	D	
Class B Common	03/24/2006		S	4,100	D	\$ 79.28	49,962	D	
Class B Common	03/24/2006		S	600	D	\$ 79.29	49,362	D	

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Class B Common	03/24/2006	S	100	D	\$ 79.3	49,262	D	
Class B Common	03/24/2006	S	9,100	D	\$ 79.33	40,162	D	
Class B Common	03/24/2006	S	2,500	D	\$ 79.34	37,662	D	
Class B Common	03/24/2006	S	100	D	\$ 79.35	37,562	D	
Class B Common	03/24/2006	S	500	D	\$ 79.36	37,062	D	
Class B Common	03/24/2006	S	100	D	\$ 79.37	36,962	D	
Class B Common	03/24/2006	S	2,400	D	\$ 79.38	34,562	D	
Class B Common	03/24/2006	S	5,100	D	\$ 79.39	29,462	D	
Class B Common	03/24/2006	S	300	D	\$ 79.4	29,162	D	
Class B Common	03/24/2006	S	100	D	\$ 79.6	29,062	D	
Class B Common	03/24/2006	S	300	D	\$ 79.61	28,762	D	
Class B Common	03/24/2006	S	200	D	\$ 79.62	28,562	D	
Class B Common	03/24/2006	S	300	D	\$ 79.63	28,262	D	
Class B Common	03/24/2006	S	600	D	\$ 79.65	27,662	D	
Class B Common	03/24/2006	S	1,400	D	\$ 79.66	26,262	D	
Class B Common	03/24/2006	S	1,300	D	\$ 79.67	24,962	D	
Class B Common	03/24/2006	S	200	D	\$ 79.68	24,762	D	
Class B Common	03/24/2006	S	1,700	D	\$ 79.69	23,062	D	
Class B Common	03/24/2006	S	2,100	D	\$ 79.7	20,962	D	
Class B Common						1,302	I	Longview Ltd Ptn
						115.478	I	GB Ltd Ptn

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Class B Common			
Class B Common	350,000	I	Partnership/Hebe
Class B Common	933,350.5	I	GANYMO Trust/Partnership
Class B Common	881,381	I	WLLB B Trust/Remainder
Class B Common	2,029,558	I	OB II Trust

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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	Securit Acquir	tive ties red (A) posed of	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Ame Underlying Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	An or Nu of
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 24.56	03/24/2006		M	5	54,306	05/01/2000	04/30/2007	Class B Common	54
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 50						05/01/2006	08/31/2007	Class B Common	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 30.63						05/01/2001	04/30/2008	Class B Common	50
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 31.13						05/01/2002	04/30/2009	Class B Common	54
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 25.22						05/01/2003	04/30/2010	Class B Common	79

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Non_Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 34.17	05/01/2004	04/30/2011	Class B Common	62
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 32.11	05/01/2005	04/30/2012	Class B Common	79
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 39.23	05/01/2006	04/30/2013	Class B Common	79
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 46.58	05/01/2007	04/30/2014	Class B Common	63

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address				
r	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
BROWN OWSLEY II				
850 DIXIE HIGHWAY	X	X	Chairman & CEO	
LOUISVILLE KY 40210				

# **Signatures**

Nelea A. Absher, Attn In Fact for: Owsley Brown II 03/26/2006

\*\*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).

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