BERG DONALD C Form 4

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## FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * BERG DONALD C			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol BROWN FORMAN CORP [BFA/BFB]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)			
(Last) 850 DIXIE HI	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/04/2010	Director 10% Owner Other (specify below)			
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
LOUISVILLE, KY 40210				Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

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(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	rities Acqu	uired, Disposed o	f, 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)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi on(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	d 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 A Common							11,960	D	
Class B Common	10/04/2010		M	8,903	A	\$ 25.06	24,865	D	
Class B Common	10/04/2010		S	2,994	D	\$ 61.6	21,871	D	
Class B Common							2,518.96 (1)	I	By 401(k) Plan

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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## $\label{thm:convergence} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \end{tabular}$

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)	Secu Acqu (A) o Disp (D)	or cosed of cr. 3, 4,	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amour Underlying Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Sh
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 25.06	10/04/2010		M		8,903	05/01/2005	04/30/2012	Class B Common	8,9
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 30.62						05/01/2006	04/30/2013	Class B Common	19,0
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 36.35						05/01/2007	04/30/2014	Class B Common	15,1
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 46.19						05/01/2008	04/30/2015	Class B Common	13,0
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 56.5						05/01/2009	04/30/2016	Class B Common	10,1
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 54.58						05/01/2010	04/30/2017	Class B Common	11,5
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 57.4						05/01/2011	04/30/2018	Class B Common	13,5
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 43.72						05/01/2012	04/30/2019	Class B Common	22,2
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 62.13						05/01/2013	04/30/2020	Class B Common	12,1

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## **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 10/05/2010

\*\*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) Number of shares the reporting person has acquired under the Brown-Forman 401(k) plan as of October 4, 2010.

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