

KIRK KENNETH D
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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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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
KIRK KENNETH D

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
BROWN & BROWN INC [BRO]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 2800 N CENTRAL AVE, STE 1600

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
 08/03/2009

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 Regional President

(Street)
 PHOENIX, AZ 85004

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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(City) (State) (Zip)

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) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| Common Stock, \$.10 par value | 08/03/2009 | | G | V 20 D \$0 | 873,489 | I | Irrevocable Trust w/ Spouse |
| Common Stock, \$.10 par value | | | | | 4,407 | I | 401(k) Plan ⁽¹⁾ |
| Common Stock, \$.10 par value | | | | | 290,018 ⁽²⁾ | 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. P... Der... Sec... (Ins... | | | |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|-------------------------------|-----------------|--------------|----------------------------|
| | | | | Code | V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Stock Options (3) | \$ 15.78 | | | | | 01/01/2007 | 03/23/2013 | | | Common Stock | 100,728 |
| Stock Options (3) | \$ 15.78 | | | | | 03/22/2013 | 03/23/2013 | | | Common Stock | 12,672 |
| Stock Options (3) | \$ 18.48 | | | | | 11/26/2017 | 02/26/2018 | | | Common Stock | 115,000 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|--------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| KIRK KENNETH D 2800 N CENTRAL AVE STE 1600 PHOENIX, AZ 85004 | | | Regional President | |

Signatures

JENNIFER A. HAYES FOR KENNETH D. KIRK PER POWER OF ATTORNEY

08/04/2009

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) Number of shares may vary periodically based on contributions to plan.

These securities were granted at various dates pursuant to the Company's Performance Stock Plan. Based on the satisfaction of conditions established pursuant to that Plan, the Reporting Person has voting rights and dividend entitlement with respect to a portion of these shares, but full ownership will not vest until the satisfaction of additional conditions.

(3) Granted by the Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors pursuant to the Company's 2000 Incentive Stock Option Plan (the "Plan").

(4) These options vest and become exercisable on 11/26/17 unless accelerated based on satisfaction of conditions established pursuant to the Plan.

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