

BROWN FORMAN CORP

Form 4

July 30, 2007

FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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1(b).

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
MAYER RICHARD P

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
BROWN FORMAN CORP [BFA,
BFB]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

850 DIXIE HIGHWAY

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
07/26/2007

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

LOUISVILLE, KY 40210

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

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

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)
				(A) or (D)			
			Code	V	Amount		Price
Class A Common					6,000	D	
Class B Common					6,000	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 Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Amount or Number of Shares	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) <u>(1)</u>	\$ 30.37							07/28/1999	04/30/2009	Class B Common	2,200
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) <u>(1)</u>	\$ 24.6							07/27/2000	04/30/2010	Class B Common	3,600
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) <u>(1)</u>	\$ 33.34							07/31/2001	04/30/2011	Class B Common	2,600
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) <u>(1)</u>	\$ 31.33							05/01/2002	04/30/2012	Class B Common	3,200
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) <u>(1)</u>	\$ 38.27							07/24/2003	04/30/2013	Class B Common	3,000
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) <u>(1)</u>	\$ 45.44							07/22/2004	04/30/2014	Class B Common	2,400
Stock Appreciation Right <u>(1)</u>	\$ 57.74							07/28/2005	04/30/2015	Class B Common	2,700
Stock Appreciation Right <u>(1)</u>	\$ 70.63							07/27/2006	04/30/2016	Class B Common	2,300
Stock	\$ 68.22	07/26/2007		A	2,961			07/26/2007	04/30/2017	Class B	2,961

Appreciation
Right ⁽²⁾

Common

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
MAYER RICHARD P 850 DIXIE HIGHWAY LOUISVILLE, KY 40210	X

Signatures

Nelea A. Absher, Attn. in Fact for: Richard P.
Mayer

07/30/2007

 **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).
- (1) All outstanding option amounts and exercise prices were automatically adjusted on April 5, 2007, the record date for the Issuer's May 10, 2007 special distribution in partial liquidation of its consumer durables business segment.
- (2) No money was paid to or received by the reporting person for this SAR.

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