

BROWN FORMAN CORP  
 Form 4  
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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 \*  
 Barzun Brooke Brown

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)  
 12/22/2016

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

LOUISVILLE, KY 40210  
 (City) (State) (Zip)

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

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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) |   |                          |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|---|--------------------------|
|                                 |                                      |  |                                | (A) or (D)  | Price   |  |   |   |                          |
| Class A Common                  | 10/10/2016                           |  | G                              | V   | 1,801   | D  | \$ 0 472,375 <sup>(1)</sup>                           | D |                          |
| Class A Common                  | 10/10/2016                           |  | G                              | V   | 283   | A  | \$ 0 411,337 <sup>(2)</sup>                           | I | BBB Revocable Trust      |
| Class A Common                  | 10/10/2016                           |  | G                              | V   | 283   | A  | \$ 0 7,575 <sup>(3)</sup>                             | I | By Spouse                |
| Class A Common                  | 10/10/2016                           |  | G                              | V   | 1,801   | A  | \$ 0 12,517 <sup>(4)</sup>                            | I | OB3 GST Non-Exempt Trust |
| Class A Common                  | 10/10/2016                           |  | G                              | V   | 283   | A  | \$ 0 9,763 <sup>(5)</sup>                             | I | Trust fbo Child-1        |

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|-------------------|------------|------------------|---|---------|---|----------|--------------------------|---|--|
| Class A<br>Common | 10/10/2016 | G                | V | 283     | A | \$ 0     | 17,391 <sup>(6)</sup>    | I | Trust fbo<br>Child-2                     |
| Class A<br>Common | 10/10/2016 | G                | V | 283     | A | \$ 0     | 17,391 <sup>(6)</sup>    | I | Trust fbo<br>Child-3                     |
| Class A<br>Common | 12/22/2016 | J <sup>(7)</sup> |   | 115,020 | D | \$ 46.51 | 1,366,200 <sup>(8)</sup> | I | Guilford-Brown<br>LP                     |
| Class A<br>Common | 12/22/2016 | J <sup>(9)</sup> |   | 643,090 | D | \$ 46.51 | 723,110                  | I | Guilford-Brown<br>LP                     |
| Class A<br>Common | 12/22/2016 | J <sup>(7)</sup> |   | 115,020 | A | \$ 46.51 | 175,964 <sup>(10)</sup>  | I | OB3 GST<br>Exempt Trust                  |
| Class B<br>Common |            |                  |   |         |   |          | 54,762 <sup>(11)</sup>   | D |  |
| Class B<br>Common |            |                  |   |         |   |          | 45,794 <sup>(12)</sup>   | I | BBB 2002<br>GRAT                         |
| Class A<br>Common |            |                  |   |         |   |          | 253,896 <sup>(13)</sup>  | I | BBB 2002<br>GRAT                         |
| Class A<br>Common |            |                  |   |         |   |          | 19,626 <sup>(14)</sup>   | I | BBB 2010<br>GRAT                         |
| Class B<br>Common |            |                  |   |         |   |          | 8,450 <sup>(15)</sup>    | I | BBB 2011<br>GRAT                         |
| Class A<br>Common |            |                  |   |         |   |          | 83,496 <sup>(16)</sup>   | I | BBB 2011<br>GRAT                         |
| Class B<br>Common |            |                  |   |         |   |          | 34,500 <sup>(17)</sup>   | I | BBB Revocable<br>Trust                   |
| Class B<br>Common |            |                  |   |         |   |          | 1,892 <sup>(18)</sup>    | I | By Spouse                                |
| Class A<br>Common |            |                  |   |         |   |          | 4,580 <sup>(19)</sup>    | I | CLB 2012 Trust                           |
| Class B<br>Common |            |                  |   |         |   |          | 91,342 <sup>(20)</sup>   | I | CLB 2012 Trust                           |
| Class B<br>Common |            |                  |   |         |   |          | 41,610 <sup>(21)</sup>   | I | CLB<br>Grandchildren<br>Eq. Tr.          |
| Class A<br>Common |            |                  |   |         |   |          | 62,984 <sup>(22)</sup>   | I | CLB<br>Grandchildren<br>Eq. Tr.          |
| Class B<br>Common |            |                  |   |         |   |          | 23,498 <sup>(23)</sup>   | I | CLB Trust fbo<br>Child-1 <sup>(24)</sup> |
| Class A<br>Common |            |                  |   |         |   |          | 39,460 <sup>(25)</sup>   | I | CLB Trust fbo<br>Child-1 <sup>(24)</sup> |
| Class B           |            |                  |   |         |   |          | 21,590 <sup>(26)</sup>   | I | CLB Trust fbo                            |



## 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) In August 2016, the Class A and Class B common stock of Brown-Forman Corporation split 2-1, resulting in the reporting person's acquisition of 237,088 additional shares.
- (2) Reflects the acquisition of 205,527 additional shares in the August 2016 stock split.
- (3) Reflects the acquisition of 3,646 additional shares in the August 2016 stock split.
- (4) Reflects the acquisition of 5,358 additional shares in the August 2016 stock split.
- (5) Reflects the acquisition of 4,740 additional shares in the August 2016 stock split.
- (6) Reflects the acquisition of 8,554 additional shares in the August 2016 stock split.
- (7) On December 22, 2016, Guilford-Brown LP transferred 115,020 Class A shares to the OB3 GST Exempt Trust as a redemption of the trust's interest in the partnership.
- (8) Reflects the acquisition of 740,610 additional shares in the August 2016 stock split.
- (9) On December 22, 2016, Guilford-Brown LP transferred 643,090 Class A shares to a limited partner as a partial redemption of a limited partner's interest.
- (10) Reflects the acquisition of 30,472 additional shares in the August 2016 stock split.
- (11) Reflects the acquisition of 27,381 additional shares in the August 2016 stock split.
- (12) Reflects the acquisition of 22,897 additional shares in the August 2016 stock split.
- (13) Reflects the acquisition of 126,948 additional shares in the August 2016 stock split.
- (14) Reflects the acquisition of 9,813 additional shares in the August 2016 stock split.
- (15) Reflects the acquisition of 4,225 additional shares in the August 2016 stock split.
- (16) Reflects the acquisition of 41,748 additional shares in the August 2016 stock split.
- (17) Reflects the acquisition of 17,250 additional shares in the August 2016 stock split.
- (18) Reflects the acquisition of 946 additional shares in the August 2016 stock split.
- (19) Reflects the acquisition of 2,290 additional shares in the August 2016 stock split.
- (20) Reflects the acquisition of 45,671 additional shares in the August 2016 stock split.
- (21) Reflects the acquisition of 20,805 additional shares in the August 2016 stock split.
- (22) Reflects the acquisition of 31,492 additional shares in the August 2016 stock split.
- (23) Reflects the acquisition of 11,749 additional shares in the August 2016 stock split.
- (24) Formerly known as CLB Trust fbo Charles Barzun.
- (25) Reflects the acquisition of 19,730 additional shares in the August 2016 stock split.
- (26) Reflects the acquisition of 10,795 additional shares in the August 2016 stock split.
- (27) Formerly known as CLB Trust fbo Eleanor Barzun.
- (28) Reflects the acquisition of 15,916 additional shares in the August 2016 stock split.
- (29) Formerly known as CLB Trust fbo Jacques Barzun.

### Remarks:

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