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Form 13F-HR/A  
May 16, 2001

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

Form 13F

Form 13F COVER PAGE

Report for the Calendar Year or Quarter Ended: March 31, 2001  
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Check here if Amendment [ ]; Amendment Number: 1  
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This Amendment (Check only one.): [X] is a restatement.  
[ ] adds new holdings entries.

Institutional Investment Manager Filing this Report:

Name: Berkshire Hathaway Inc.  
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Address: 1440 Kiewit Plaza  
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Omaha, NE 68131  
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Form 13F File Number: 28-4545  
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The institutional investment manager filing this report and the person by whom it is signed hereby represent that the person signing the report is authorized to submit it, that all information contained herein is true, correct and complete, and that it is understood that all required items, statements, schedules, lists, and tables, are considered integral parts of this form.

Person Signing this Report on Behalf of Reporting Manager:

Name: Marc D. Hamburg  
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Title: Vice President  
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Phone: 402-346-1400  
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Signature, Place, and Date of Signing:

(s) Marc D. Hamburg Omaha, NE May 16, 2001  
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[Signature] [City, State] [Date]

Report Type (Check only one.):

- [ ] 13F HOLDINGS REPORT. (Check here if all holdings of this reporting manager are reported in this report.)
- [ ] 13F NOTICE. (Check here if no holdings reported are in this report, and all holdings are reported by other reporting manager(s).)
- [X] 13F COMBINATION REPORT. (Check here if a portion of the holdings for

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this reporting manager are reported in this report and a portion are reported by other reporting manager(s).)

### List of Other Managers Reporting for this Manager:

Form 13F File Number	Name
28-5194	General Re - New England Asset Management, Inc.
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### Form 13F SUMMARY PAGE

### Report Summary:

Number of Other Included Managers:	18
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Form 13F Information Table Entry Total:	65
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Form 13F Information Table Value Total:	\$ 28,451,030
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	(thousands)

Confidential Information has been omitted from the public Form 13F and filed separately with the Commission. Included in this information is information regarding Berkshire's positions in four securities (First Data Corporation, Gap Inc., Nike\* and US Bancorporation) included in its September 30, 2000 public Form 13F and one security (Liz Claiborne\*) included in its December 31, 2000 public Form 13F.

\*The original filing should have also indicated Nike and Liz Claiborne which were omitted due to an oversight.

### List of Other Included Managers:

Provide a numbered list of the name(s) and Form 13F file number(s) of all institutional investment managers with respect to which this report is filed, other than the manager filing this report.

[If there are no entries in this list, state "NONE" and omit the column headings and list entries.]

NO.	FORM 13F FILE NUMBER	NAME
1.	28-5678	Berkshire Hathaway Life Insurance Co. of Nebraska
2.	28-5676	BHG Life Insurance Co.
3.	28-719	Blue Chip Stamps
4.	28-554	Buffett, Warren E.
5.	28-1517	Columbia Insurance Co.
6.	28-2226	Cornhusker Casualty Co.
7.	28-6102	Cypress Insurance Co.
8.	28-852	GEICO Corp.
9.	28-101	Government Employees Ins. Corp.
10.	28-1066	National Fire & Marine
11.	28-718	National Indemnity Co.
12.	28-5006	National Liability & Fire Ins. Co.

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13.	28-6104	Nebraska Furniture Mart
14.	28-717	OBH Inc.
15.	28-2740	Plaza Investment Managers
16.	28-1357	Wesco Financial Corp.
17.	28-3091	Wesco Financial Ins. Co.
18.	28-3105	Wesco Holdings Midwest, Inc.

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May 15, 2001

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Judiciary Plaza  
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Washington, DC 20549

Gentlemen:

Enclosed herewith for filing is Amendment Number 1 to Form 13F for the Quarter ended March 31, 2001 for the following nineteen "Institutional Investment Managers":

	13F File Number -----
Berkshire Hathaway Inc.	28-4545
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Yours truly,

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/s/ Marc D. Hamburg

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Vice President

Enclosures