Brown Martin S JR Form 4 July 28, 2008

# FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

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Symbol

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

Brown Martin S JR

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

See Instruction

			BROWN FORMAN CORP [BFA/BFB]			(Check all applicable)				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 850 DIXIE HIGHWAY			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/24/2008				_X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)			
(Street) 4. If Amer Filed(Mon				ndment, Date Original th/Day/Year)			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting			
	LE, KY 40210						Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip) Ta	ble I - Non-I	Derivative S	Securi	ties Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Dat (Month/Day/Year)		Code		l (A) o l 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							75,618	D		
Class A Common							83,088	I	Nectar Trust	
Class A Common							30	I	By Spouse	
Class A Common							1,500	I	Trust f/b/o Children	
Class A Common							5,508	I	UTMA f/b/o Child	

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Class A Common	1,682	I	UTMA f/b/o Child
Class A Common	13,626	I	Trust
Class B Common	1,514	D	
Class B Common	900	I	UTMA f/b/o Child
Class B Common	300	I	UTMA f/b/o Child

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on f 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 Securitie (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amour or Number of Shares
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 73.55					05/25/2006	04/30/2015	Class B Common	376
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 70.63					07/27/2006	04/30/2016	Class B Common	2,384
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 68.22					07/26/2007	04/30/2017	Class B Common	2,96
Stock Appreciation Right (1)	\$ 71.75	07/24/2008		A	2,718	07/24/2008	04/30/2018	Class B Common	2,71

### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Brown Martin S JR 850 DIXIE HIGHWAY X LOUISVILLE, KY 40210

### **Signatures**

Holli H. Lewis, Atty. in Fact for Martin S.
Brown, Jr.
07/28/2008

\*\*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) No money was paid to or received by the reporting person for this SAR.

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