

STUBBS DACE BROWN  
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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 \*  
STUBBS DACE 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)  
07/28/2011

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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**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)  | Price   |  |                                   |
|                                 |                                      |  |                                | Code  | V   | Amount   |                                   |
| Class A Common                  |                                      |  |                                |   | 2,000   | D  |                                   |
| Class A Common                  |                                      |  |                                |   | 2,885,323   | I  | Log House Partners Ltd.           |
| Class B Common                  |                                      |  |                                |   | 4,221   | D  |                                   |
| Class B Common                  |                                      |  |                                |   | 721,330   | I  | Log House Partners Ltd.           |

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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) | Amount or Number of Shares |       |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|----------------------------|-------|
|  |  |                                      |  | Code                           | V (A) (D)   | Date Exercisable   | Expiration Date   | Title                      |       |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)  | \$ 24.7  |                                      |  |                                |   | 05/01/2002   | 04/30/2012  | Class B Common             | 4,085 |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)  | \$ 30.18   |                                      |  |                                |   | 05/01/2003   | 04/30/2013  | Class B Common             | 3,923 |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)  | \$ 35.83   |                                      |  |                                |   | 07/22/2004   | 04/30/2014  | Class B Common             | 3,053 |
| Stock Appreciation Rights                  | \$ 45.53   |                                      |  |                                |   | 07/28/2005   | 04/30/2015  | Class B Common             | 3,550 |
| Stock Appreciation Right                   | \$ 55.69   |                                      |  |                                |   | 07/27/2006   | 04/30/2016  | Class B Common             | 3,023 |
| Stock Appreciation Right                   | \$ 53.8  |                                      |  |                                |   | 07/26/2007   | 04/30/2017  | Class B Common             | 3,750 |
| Stock Appreciation Right                   | \$ 56.58   |                                      |  |                                |   | 07/24/2008   | 04/30/2018  | Class B Common             | 3,447 |
| Stock Appreciation Right                   | \$ 43.1  |                                      |  |                                |   | 07/23/2009   | 04/30/2019  | Class B Common             | 4,230 |

|                         |     |            |   |     |     |     |                   |     |
|-------------------------|-----|------------|---|-----|-----|-----|-------------------|-----|
| Deferred Stock<br>Units | (1) | 07/28/2011 | A | 406 | (2) | (2) | Class B<br>Common | 406 |
|-------------------------|-----|------------|---|-----|-----|-----|-------------------|-----|

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                 | Relationships |           |         |       |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| STUBBS DACE BROWN<br>850 DIXIE HIGHWAY<br>LOUISVILLE, KY 40210 |               | X         |         |       |

## Signatures

|  |            |
|--|------------|
| Diane M. Barhorst, Atty. in Fact for: Dace Brown<br>Stubbs | 08/01/2011 |
| **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).
- Under the Brown-Forman Corporation Non-Employee Director Deferred Stock Unit Program each DSU represents the right to receive
- (1) one share of the Company's Class B common stock. Grants made on July 28, 2011, were based on the closing price of the Company's Class B common stock on that date (\$73.95). On each dividend payment date, participants are credited with DSU equivalents.
  - (2) Annual grants of DSUs vest over the course of the Board year. DSUs are paid out in class B common stock on the first February 1 that is at least six months following the Director's termination from Board service.

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