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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(b).

(Last)

(City)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Fitzgerald Brian P

(First) (Middle)

850 DIXIE HIGHWAY

(Street)

07/26/2018

3.

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

BROWN FORMAN CORP [BFA,

BFB] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

below) SVP, Chief Accounting Officer

(Check all applicable)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

Issuer

Director

X_ Officer (give title

LOUISVILLE, KY 40210

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3)

(State)

(Zip)

Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

TransactionAcquired (A) or Code (Instr. 8)

Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Code V Amount (D) Price

4. Securities

(A)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

6. Ownership Form: Direct (I) (Instr. 4)

7. Nature of Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

10% Owner

Other (specify

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

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 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 4. 5. Number of 6. Date Exercisable and 7. Title and Amoun Derivative Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if **Transaction**Derivative **Expiration Date** Underlying Securit Security or Exercise Code Securities (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3 and 4) any

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(Instr. 3) Price of (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of Security (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)

(A) (D) Date Expiration Title

Exercisable Date

itle Amo or

Num of Sh

Stock

Appreciation \$ 54 07/26/2018 A 12,357 05/01/2021 04/30/2028 Class B Common 12,3

Code V

Right (1)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Fitzgerald Brian P 850 DIXIE HIGHWAY LOUISVILLE, KY 40210

SVP, Chief Accounting Officer

Signatures

Stephanie Ann Tso, Attorney in Fact for Brian P.
Fitzgerald

07/30/2018

**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 these SSARs.

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