

BUCHANAN ROBERT C  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
 BUCHANAN ROBERT C

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 14 BROKAW PLACE  
 (Street)  
 APPLETON, WI 54911  
 (City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 BRADY CORP [BRC]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
 (Month/Day/Year)  
 08/02/2007

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
|                                 |                                      |  |                                | (A) or (D)  | Code V Amount (D) Price   |  |   |

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 | 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) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) |
|--|------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|
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| Derivative Security         |          |            | or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) |           | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title                | Amount or Number of Shares |
|-----------------------------|----------|------------|---|-----------|------------------|-----------------|----------------------|----------------------------|
|                             |          |            | Code                                    | V (A) (D) |                  |                 |                      |                            |
| Deferred Compensation Units | \$ 30.31 | 02/29/2008 | A                                       | 1.9057    | (1)(3)           | (1)(3)          | Class A Common Stock | 1.9057                     |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                             | Relationships |           |         |       |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| BUCHANAN ROBERT C<br>14 BROKAW PLACE<br>APPLETON, WI 54911 | X             |           |         |       |

## Signatures

|  |                     |
|--|---------------------|
| Barbara Bolens as Attorney<br>-In-Fact         | 03/04/2008          |
| <small>**Signature of Reporting Person</small> | <small>Date</small> |

## 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) The deferred compensation stock units were acquired under the Brady Corporation director deferred compensation plan and are to be settled in installment payments of Brady's Class A Common Stock upon the persons cessation of service as a director.
- (2) The total shares listed in column 9 represent the aggregate total of the deferred compensation stock units held by the individual as of 2/29/08 and includes deferred compensation stock units issued from 8/1/2007 to 2/28/2008 but were inadvertently not previously filed.
- (3) This security converts to a common stock on 1 for 1 basis.

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