Jarvis David R Form 4 January 19, 2006

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Jarvis David R

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

BARNWELL INDUSTRIES INC [BRN]

(Check all applicable)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/18/2006

Director Officer (give title below)

X 10% Owner Other (specify

C/O MERCURY REAL ESTATE ADVISORS LLC, 100 FIELD POINT ROAD

(Street)

(First)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Beneficially

Following

Owned

Form filed by One Reporting Person _X_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

GREENWICH, CT 06830

(City) (State) (Zip) 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 5. Amount of Securities

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

Reported (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

See Common P 1,516,300 01/18/2006 200 I Footnote (4) See Common 01/18/2006 P 200 1,516,300 I Footnote (5)

Common 01/18/2006 Stock (3)

Stock (1)

Stock (2)

200

D

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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	isable and	7. Titl	e and	8. Price of
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	orNumber	Expiration Da	ate	Amou	nt of	Derivative
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	lying	Security
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Securi	ties	(Instr. 5)
	Derivative				Securities			(Instr.	3 and 4)	
	Security				Acquired					
	•				(A) or					
					Disposed					
					of (D)					
					(Instr. 3,					
					4, and 5)					
									Amount	
							Expiration		or	
							Date		Number	
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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner N	Relationships					
F	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Jarvis David R C/O MERCURY REAL EST 100 FIELD POINT ROAD GREENWICH, CT 06830		X				
MacLean Malcolm F IV C/O MERCURY REAL EST 100 FIELD POINT ROAD GREENWICH, CT 06830	X					
Mercury Real Estate Securiti C/O MERCURY REAL EST 100 FIELD POINT ROAD GREENWICH, CT 06830		X				
Signatures						
/s/ David R. Jarvis	01/19/2006					
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date					
/s/ Malcolm F. MacLean IV	01/19/2006					
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date					

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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).

These shares were acquired by Mercury Real Estate Advisors, LLC ("Advisors"), a registered investment adviser, on behalf of Mercury Real Estate Securities Offshore Fund, Ltd. ("MRESOF"), for which Advisors serves as the investment adviser. Mr. David R. Jarvis is a managing member of Advisors. Mr. Jarvis disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares held directly by MRESOF, except to the extent of

- the pecuniary interest, if any, in such shares as a result of his membership interest in Advisors, which has a contingent right to receive a performance-based advisory fee from MRESOF. That performance-based fee generally qualifies for the exemption set forth in Rule 16a-1(a)(2)(ii)(C).
- These shares were acquired by Advisors on behalf of MRESOF. Mr. Malcolm F. MacLean IV is a managing member of Advisors. Mr.

 MacLean disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares held directly by MRESOF, except to the extent of the pecuniary interest, if any, in such shares as a result of his membership interest in Advisors, which has a contingent right to receive a performance-based advisory fee from MRESOF. That performance-based fee generally qualifies for the exemption set forth in Rule 16a-1(a)(2)(ii)(C).
- (3) These shares are held directly by MRESOF.
 - The shares reported in Column 5 are held directly by certain private investment funds, including MRESOF (the "Funds"), and certain managed accounts (the "Managed Accounts"), for which Advisors serves as the investment adviser. Mr. Jarvis disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares held directly by the Funds and the Managed Accounts, except to the extent of the pecuniary interest, if any, in
- (4) such shares as a result of his membership interest in Advisors, which has a contingent right to receive a performance-based advisory fee from each of the Funds and Managed Accounts, or as a result of his membership interest in certain limited liability companies that serve as the general partners of certain of the Funds. That performance-based fee generally qualifies for the exemption set forth in Rule 16a-1(a)(2)(ii)(C).
- The shares reported in Column 5 are held directly by the Funds and the Managed Accounts, for which Advisors serves as the investment adviser. Mr. MacLean disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares held directly by the Funds and the Managed Accounts, except to the extent of the pecuniary interest, if any, in such shares as a result of his membership interest in Advisors, which has a contingent right to receive a performance-based advisory fee from each of the Funds and Managed Accounts, or as a result of his membership interest in certain limited liability companies that serve as the general partners of certain of the Funds. That performance-based fee generally qualifies for the exemption set forth in Rule 16a-1(a)(2)(ii)(C).

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