BRADY CORP Form 4 May 21, 2009

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549 STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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SECURITIES

may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Felmer Thomas J

(First) (Middle)

(Last)

6555 W. GOOD HOPE RD

MILWAUKEE, WI 53223

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

BRADY CORP [BRC]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 05/20/2009

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

SR VP CFO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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Person

| (City) | (State) | (Zip) Tabl | le I - Non-l | Derivative | Secu | rities Acqui | red, Disposed of, | or Beneficiall | y 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) | , | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
| | | | Code V | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | (Instr. 4) | |
| Class A Common Stock | | | | | | | 460 | D | |
| Class A Common Stock (1) | | | | | | | 12,742.377 | D | |
| Class A Common Stock | 05/20/2009 | | M | 8,000 | A | \$ 15.2813 | 20,742.377 | D | |
| Class A Common | 05/20/2009 | | S | 8,000 | D | \$ 25 | 12,742.377 | D | |

Stock

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 out 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 Amoun Underlying Securit (Instr. 3 and 4) | |
|---|---|--------------------------------------|---|--|--|--|--------------------|--|---------------------------------|
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amo or Num of Share |
| Deffered Compensation Units | <u>(2)</u> | | | | | (2) | (2) | Class A Common Stock | 0 |
| Option To Buy | \$ 15.2813 | 05/20/2009 | | M | 8,000 | 10/14/2000 | 10/14/2009 | Class A Common Stock | 8,0 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | | |
|--------------------------------|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|--|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | | |
| Felmer Thomas J | | | | | | | |

6555 W. GOOD HOPE RD SR VP CFO

MILWAUKEE, WI 53223

Signatures

Barbara Bolens, as 05/21/2009 Attorney-In-Fact

**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).

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- (1) Represents shares of Class A Common Stock purchased under the issuer's 401(K) payroll deduction plan.
- The deferred compensation stock units were acquired under the Brady Corporation employee deferred compensation plan. Each deferred compensation unit is the economic equivalent of one share of Class A Common Stock. The deferred compensation units become payable in shares of Brady's Class A Common Stock upon the reporting persons cessation of service as an employee of Brady Corporation.
- (3) Stock Option exercise.

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