#### FRIEDMAN INDUSTRIES INC

Form 4

August 25, 2006

## FORM 4

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * FRIEDMAN HAROLD			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol FRIEDMAN INDUSTRIES INC [FRD]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)			
(Last) P.O. BOX 2	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/23/2006						_X_ Director Officer (giv below)		6 Owner er (specify	
				mendment, Date Original Month/Day/Year)					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned								lly Owned				
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction D (Month/Day/Yea	r) Executi	emed 3. 4. Securities on Date, if Transaction(A) or Disp Code (D)  //Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4		D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A)		•	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)  7. Nature Beneficia Ownershi (Instr. 4)				
Common Stock	08/23/2006			Code S	V	Amount 4,400	or (D) D	Price \$ 8.77	(Instr. 3 and 4) 70,506	D		
Common	08/24/2006			S		8,000	D	\$ 8.82	62,506	D		

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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		4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Titl	e and	8. Price of	9. Nu
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	Derivative				Securities			(Instr.	3 and 4)		Own
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					(A) or						Repo
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					4, and 5)						
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						Exercisable Date	Date	Title	of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		
				Code v	(A) $(D)$				Shares		

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
• 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
FRIEDMAN HAROLD								
P.O. BOX 21147	X							
HOUSTON, TX 77226								

# **Signatures**

Reporting Person

/s/ Harold
Friedman

\*\*Signature of 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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