## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, DC 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

[ ] Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*	2. Issuer N	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol						6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)						
								Director		10% Owner				
Henderson Jim W								Officer (give	title below)	Other (specify below)				
	Brown & Brown, Inc. (BRO)						President and Chief Operating Officer							
(Last) (First) (Middle)  220 S. Ridgewood Ave.	Number	entification of Reporting f an entity y)	Mo	4. Statement for Month/Day/Year  May 1, 2003  5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Day/Year)			7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)							
	╛		Da				X Form filed by One Reporting Person							
(Street)			(M				Form filed by More than One Reporting Person							
Daytona Beach FL 32114														
(City) (State) (Zip)									iired, Disposed of, or					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Trans- action Date	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/		action Code (Instr. 3, 4 and (Instr. 8)			of (D)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Owner- ship Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Owner- ship			
	Day/ Year)	Day/ Year)	Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)		Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)			
Common Stock, \$.10 par value	5/1/03		G		2,000	D	N/A		27,340	D				
Common Stock, \$.10 par value				Ш					179,224**	D				
Common Stock, \$.10 par value									128,155		Stock Performance Plan(1)			
Common Stock, \$.10 par value									241,521(2)	I	401(k) Plan(2)			

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

\*If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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These shares are owned jointly with spouse.

FORM 4 (continued)	Table II ¾ 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	action Date	action Deemed Execution Date, if any any	4. Transaction Code (Instr.8)		(e.g., puts, 5. Number of Deriv- ative Securities Ac- quired (A) or Dis- posed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)						8. Price of Deriv- ative Secur- ity (Instr. 5)	9. Number of deriv- ative Secur- ities Bene- ficially Owned Follow-	10. Owner- ship Form of Deri- vative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect	of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exer- cisable	Expira- tion Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		ing Reported Trans- action(s) (Instr. 4)	(I) (Instr. 4)	
Stock Options (a)	\$ 9.6719 9.6719 9.6719							4/21/01 4/21/02 4/21/03	4/20/10	Common Stock Common Stock Common Stock	10,340 10,340 187,416			D D D	
	9.6719 9.6719 9.6719							4/21/04(b) 4/21/05(b) 4/21/06(b)	4/20/10 4/20/10	Common Stock Common Stock Common Stock	10,340 10,340 10,340			D D D	
	\$31.56							3/23/13	3/24/13	Common Stock	100,000		339,116	D	

## Explanation of Responses:

- These securities were granted pursuant to the Company's Stock Performance Plan. The recipient has neither voting rights nor dividend entitlement with respect to a portion of these shares, and full ownership will not vest until the satisfaction of additional conditions.
- (2) Based upon information supplied as of 12/31/02 by the Plan's recordkeeper. Number of shares varies periodically based on contributions to plan.
- (a) Granted by the Compensation Committee of the Board Directors pursuant to the Company's 2000 Incentive Stock Option Plan (the "Plan"). Consideration for granted options is grantee's performance and continued service with Company as specified in the Plan.
- (b) Due to the satisfaction of conditions established pursuant to the Plan, the vesting of these options was accelerated, so that an additional 10,340 will vest on each of 4/21/04, 4/21/05 and 4/21/06, subject to grantee's continued service with the Company as specified in the Plan.
- (c) These options vest and become exercisable on 3/23/13, unless accelerated based on satisfaction of conditions established pursuant to the Plan.

\*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

/S/ JIM W. HENDERSON

5/1/03

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person JIM W. HENDERSON

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