FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BROWN & BROWN INC [ BRO ]											all applica Director	able)	g Perso	on(s) to Issu 10% Ov	/ner
(Last) (First) (Middle) 681 S. PARKER STREET SUITE 300						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/28/2014										X	below)	give title enior Vio	ce Pre	Other (s below) sident	респу
Street) ORANGE CA 92868  (City) (State) (Zip)					4.	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)											rividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable  Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting  Person				
(5)			ble I - No	n-Der	ivativ	ve Se	curi	ities A	cai	uired.	Disi	nosed	of. o	. Ber	eficial	lv (	Owned				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transplate (Month/I				nsactio	n	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)			3. Transac Code (I 8)	ction	4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4				r 5. Amour Securitie Beneficia Owned F		s ılly	Form	: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
										Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price		Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)
Common Stock, \$.10 par value 08						14				M		15,00	00	A	\$18.4	48	47,	140		D	
Common Stock, \$.10 par value 08/					28/20	14				М		6,88	34	A	\$18.4	48	54,0	24(1)		D	
Common Stock, \$.10 par value (PSP)																	25,7	25,798 <sup>(2)</sup>		D	
Common Stock, \$.10 par value (SIP)																105,958(3)			D		
Common Stock, \$.10 par value																	86(4)			I	By Wife
			Table II -						-	-	-	osed of			-	O	wned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution E if any (Month/Day	ate,	Code (I		of Deri Sec Acq (A) o Disp of (E	of I		6. Date Exercisal Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year			of Se Unde	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivati Security (Instr. 3 an 4)		,   [	B. Price of Derivative Security Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	ode V		(D)	Da Ex	te ercisable		piration ate	Title	1	Amount o Number o Shares						
Stock Options <sup>(5)</sup>	\$18.48	08/28/2014			M			6,884	03	3/07/2013	02	/26/2018	Comi Stoo \$.10 valu	ck, par	6,884		\$18.48	0.000	0	D	
Stock Options <sup>(5)</sup>	\$18.48	08/28/2014			M			15,000	08	3/01/2013	02	/26/2018	Comi Stoo \$.10 valu	k, par	15,000		\$18.48	0.000	0	D	
Stock Options <sup>(5)</sup>	\$18.48								11	./26/2017	02	/26/2018	Comi Stoo \$.10	k,	15,000 <sup>(6</sup>	6)		15,00	0	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. A total of 955 of these shares were acquired through the Company's Employee Stock Purchase Plan in July 2014. Number of shares may vary due to dividend reinvestment.
- 2. These securities were granted pursuant to the Company's Performance Stock Plan ("PSP"). Based on the satisfaction of conditions established pursuant to the PSP, the Reporting Person has voting rights and dividend entitlement with respect to a portion of these shares based on the satisfaction of certain performance-based criteria, but full ownership will not vest until the satisfaction of additional conditions
- 3. These securities were granted pursuant to the Company's 2010 Stock Incentive Plan. The Reporting Person has voting rights and dividend entitlement with respect to a portion of these shares, but full ownership will not vest until the satisfaction of additional conditions
- 4. Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership in shares owned by Spouse of Reporting Person.
- 5. Granted by the Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors pursuant to the Company's 2000 Incentive Stock Option Plan (the "Plan").
- 6. These options vest and become exercisable on 11/26/17, unless accelerated based on satisfaction of conditions established pursuant to the Plan.

Kenneth M. Masters

09/01/2014

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

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).
- \*\* 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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