FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, DC 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol						6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer								
									(Check all applicable)								
		Brown & Brown, Inc. (BRO)							Director								
								X	Officer (title belo		Other (specify below)	,					
Kirk	Kenneth	D .							Regional Executive Vice President								
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)			M	4. Statement for Month/Day/Year March 24, 2003			7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)								
4041 N. Cen	tral Ave., Ste.	-			5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Day/Year)			X	Form filed by One Reporting Person								
	(Street)							⊢	Form fil	rm filed by More than One Reporting Person							
Phoenix	AZ 85	5012															
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I ¾ Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned										Owned				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)			action Date	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/ Day/ Year)	3. Trans- action Code (Instr.8		4. Securities or Dispose (Instr. 3, 4	(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					
		Code			V	Amount	(A) or (D)]	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)	(I) (Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)					
													Stock Performance Plan				
Common Stock,	3/24/03		A		11,430(1)	A	N/A		125,650	I							
Common Stock,	\$.10 par value									1,228	D						
Common Stock,									550,371	I	Revocable Trust w/Spouse						
													401(k) Plan(2)				
Common Stock,									768	I							
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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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FORM 4 (continued)	Table II ¾ Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.q., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)															
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conver- sion or Exercise Price of Deri- vative Security	action	Deemed Execution Date, if	(Instr.8)		5. Number of Deriv- ative Securities posed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	Acquired (A) or Dis-		6. Date Exer- cisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/ Year)		 Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) 		of Deriv- ative Secur- ity (Instr. 5)	of deriv- ative Secur- ities Bene- ficially Owned Follow-	ship Form of Deri- vative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect	11. Nature of Indirect Benefi- cial Owner- ship (Instr. 4)
				Code		(A)		(D)		Expira- tion Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		ing Reported Trans- action(s) (Instr. 4)	(I) (Instr. 4)	
Stock Options(a)	\$ 9.6719								4/21/01	4/20/10	Common Stock	10,340			D	
	9.6719										Common Stock				D	
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	31.56	3/24/03		A		56,700(c)			3/23/13	3/24/13	Common Stock	56 700		124 164	D	

Explanation of Responses:

(1) Granted pursuant to the Company's Stock Performance Plan. Until the satisfaction of conditions established pursuant to that Plan, the recipient has neither voting rights nor dividend entitlement with respect to 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, 15,764 options will vest and become exercisable on 4/21/03, and 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 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.

Al Criminal Violations. /S/ KENNETH D. KIRK 3/26/03

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