

BROWN & BROWN INC

Form 4

February 29, 2008

FORM 4
UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
WALKER CORY T

(Last) (First) (Middle)

220 S RIDGEWOOD AVENUE

(Street)

DAYTONA BEACH, FL 32114

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol

BROWN & BROWN INC [BRO]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)

02/27/2008

4. If Amendment, Date Original
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
____X____ Officer (give title ____ Other (specify
below) below)

CFO, Sr VP, Treasurer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
____X____ Form filed by One Reporting Person
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Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially 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)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock, \$.10 par value ⁽¹⁾	02/27/2008		A	43,290 A \$ 0	220,274	I	Stock Performance Plan ⁽¹⁾
Common Stock, \$.10 par value					57,416	D ⁽²⁾	
Common Stock, \$.10 par value					27,300	I	IRA Account

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Common
Stock,
\$.10 par
value

27,082

I

401(k) Plan
(3)

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of 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 Amount Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)			
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number Shares
Stock Options (4)	\$ 15.78							03/23/2013	03/24/2013	Common Stock	50,0
Stock Options (4)	\$ 18.48	02/27/2008		A		100,000		11/26/2017(5)	02/26/2018	Common Stock	100,0

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

WALKER CORY T
220 S RIDGEWOOD AVENUE
DAYTONA BEACH, FL 32114

CFO, Sr VP, Treasurer

Signatures

CORY T
WALKER

02/28/2008

**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).

These securities were granted at various dates pursuant to the Company's Stock Performance Plan. Based on the satisfaction of conditions

- (1) established pursuant to that Plan, the Reporting Person has voting rights and dividend entitlements with respect to a portion of these shares, but full ownership will not vest until the satisfaction of additional conditions.
- (2) Owned jointly with spouse.
- (3) Based upon information supplied as of 2/26/08 by the Plan's recordkeeper. Number of shares varies periodically based on contributions to plan.
- (4) Granted by the Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors pursuant to the Company's 2000 Incentive Stock Option Plan (the "Plan").
- (5) These options vest and become exercisable on 11/26/17, unless accelerated based on satisfaction of conditions established pursuant to the Plan.

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