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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Hamel Matthew E		ng Person *	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BROWN FORMAN CORP [BFA, BFB]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last) 850 DIXIE HI	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/31/2018	Director 10% Owner Second Secretary Other (specify below) EVP, Gen Counsel and Secretary		
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_Form filed by One Reporting Person		
LOUISVILLE, KY 40210				Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-l	Derivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y 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 on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Class B Common	10/31/2018		M	19,101	A	\$ 10.62	68,632	D	
Class B Common	10/31/2018		F	11,223	D	\$ 46.52 (1)	57,409	D	
Class B Common							15,908.4752 (2)	I	By 401k
Class B Common							2,009.637 (3)	I	ESPP
Class B Common							0.7672 (4)	I	DRIP

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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)	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amou Underlying Securi (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				`	(Instr. 3, 4, and 5) (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amor or Numl of Sh
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 10.62	10/31/2018		M	19,101	05/01/2012	04/30/2019	Class B Common	19,1

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Hamel Matthew E 850 DIXIE HIGHWAY LOUISVILLE, KY 40210

EVP, Gen Counsel and Secretary

Signatures

Jaileah X. Huddleston, Attorney in Fact for Matthew E.

Hamel 11/01/2018

**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).
- (1) The closing price of BF-B on October 30, 2018 was used to calculate the withholding obligation.
- (2) Number of shares acquired through the issuer's 401(k) plan as of October 31, 2018.
- (3) Number of shares acquired through the issuer's employee stock purchase program as of October 31, 2018.
- (4) Number of shares acquired through the issuer's dividend reinvestment plan as of October 31, 2018.

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