**BRADY CORP** Form 4 January 31, 2013

# FORM 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Addre Hoffman Scott	ess of Reportin	ng Person *	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol BRADY CORP [BRC]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
			(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner			
6555 W GOOD HOPE RD			01/29/2013	_X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)  VP Corp & Business Development			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
MILWAUKEE, WI 53223				Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tak	ole I - Non-	-Derivative	Secu	rities Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any Code (Instr. 3, 4 and (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8)			ed of 4 and (A) or	(D) 55)	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)
Class A Common Stock			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	5,268	D	
Class A Common Stock							3,692 (1)	D	
Class A Common Stock							1,785 (2)	D	
Class A Common	01/29/2013		M	14,914	A	\$ 28.8425	20,182	D	

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Stock

Class A

Common 01/29/2013 S 14,914 D \$ 35 5,268 D

Stock

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)	4. Transact Code (Instr. 8)	Secu Acq or D (D)	nrities uired (A) isposed of er. 3, 4,	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
			Code V	/ (A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option Exercise	\$ 28.8425	01/29/2013	M		14,914	11/18/2007	11/18/2014	Class A Common Stock	14,914

### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Hoffman Scott

6555 W GOOD HOPE RD VP Corp & Business Development

MILWAUKEE, WI 53223

### **Signatures**

/s/ Sherilyn R. Whitmoyer, Attorney in Fact 01/31/2013

\*\*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) Represents of class A Common Stock purchased under the issuer's 401(K) payroll deduction plan
- (2) Represents shares of Class A Common Stock acquired under the Brady Corporation Executive Deferred Compensation Plan.

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