

Jarvis David R
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Jarvis David R

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
BARNWELL INDUSTRIES INC
[BRN]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

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

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

C/O MERCURY REAL ESTATE ADVISORS LLC, 100 FIELD POINT ROAD

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
____ Form filed by One Reporting Person
__X__ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(Street)

GREENWICH, CT 06830

(City) (State) (Zip)

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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			(A) or (D)	Code V	Amount	Price	

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)

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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 of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)			
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Equity Swap (obligation to buy) <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u>	\$ 58.4135	08/16/2005		J/K <u>(1)(2)</u>		1		08/16/2005	05/24/2007	Common Stock	4,38
Equity Swap (obligation to buy) <u>(3)</u>	\$ 58.4135	08/16/2005		J/K <u>(1)(2)</u>		1		08/16/2005	05/24/2007	Common Stock	4,38
Equity Swap (obligation to buy) <u>(4)</u>	\$ 58.4135	08/16/2005		J/K <u>(4)</u>		1		08/16/2005	05/24/2007	Common Stock	10,6
Equity Swap (obligation to buy) <u>(5)</u>	\$ 58.4135	08/16/2005		J/K <u>(1)(2)(4)</u>		2		08/16/2005	05/24/2007	Common Stock	15,0
Equity Swap (obligation to buy) <u>(6)</u>	\$ 58.4135	08/16/2005		J/K <u>(1)(2)(4)</u>		2		08/16/2005	05/24/2007	Common Stock	15,0
Equity Swap (obligation to buy) <u>(7)</u>	\$ 56.57	08/18/2005		J/K <u>(7)</u>		1		08/18/2005	05/24/2007	Common Stock	83
Equity Swap (obligation to buy) <u>(3)</u>	\$ 56.57	08/18/2005		J/K <u>(7)</u>		1		08/18/2005	05/24/2007	Common Stock	83
Equity Swap (obligation to buy) <u>(8)</u>	\$ 56.57	08/18/2005		J/K <u>(8)</u>		1		08/18/2005	05/24/2007	Common Stock	1,60

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(2) On such date, MRES or Broker, as applicable, will be required to make a payment to the other such that the resulting economic effect of the swap arrangement will be as if (i) MRES paid Broker \$255,967.96, representing \$58.4135 for each share of BRN common stock subject to this agreement as of August 16, 2005, and (ii) Broker paid to MRES the market value of 4,382 shares of BRN common stock as of May 24, 2007. Any dividends received by Broker on account of the common stock subject to this agreement will be paid to MRES and MRES will pay to Broker a finance charge.

(3) This swap arrangement is held directly by MRES. Mercury Mayfair LLC ("Mayfair") is the general partner of MRES. Mayfair disclaims beneficial ownership of the securities held directly by MRES except to the extent of the pecuniary interest, if any, in such securities as a result of its partnership interest in MRES.

(4) On August 16, 2005, Advisors entered into a cash settled equity swap agreement with Broker on behalf of Mercury Real Estate Securities Offshore Fund, Ltd. ("MRESOF"), for which Advisors serves as the investment adviser. The settlement date of the swap agreement is May 24, 2007. On such date, MRESOF or Broker, as applicable, will be required to make a payment to the other such that the resulting economic effect of the swap arrangement will be as if (i) MRESOF paid Broker \$620,234.54, representing \$58.4135 for each share of BRN common stock subject to this agreement as of August 16, 2005, and (ii) Broker paid to MRESOF the market value of 10,618 shares of BRN common stock as of May 24, 2007. Any dividends received by Broker on account of the common stock subject to this agreement will be paid to MRESOF and MRESOF will pay to Broker a finance charge.

(5) These swap arrangements were entered into by Advisors on behalf of MRES and MRESOF. Mr. Jarvis disclaims beneficial ownership of the securities held directly by MRES and MRESOF except to the extent of the pecuniary interest, if any, in such securities as a result of his membership interest in Advisors, which has a contingent right to receive a performance-based advisory fee from MRES and MRESOF, or as a result of his membership interest in Mayfair, of which he is a managing member. That performance-based fee generally qualifies for the exemption set forth in Rule 16a-1(a)(2)(ii)(C).

(6) These swap arrangements were entered into by Advisors on behalf of MRES and MRESOF. Mr. MacLean disclaims beneficial ownership of the securities held directly by MRES and MRESOF except to the extent of the pecuniary interest, if any, in such securities as a result of his membership interest in Advisors, which has a contingent right to receive a performance-based advisory fee from MRES and MRESOF, or as a result of his membership interest in Mayfair, of which he is a managing member. That performance-based fee generally qualifies for the exemption set forth in Rule 16a-1(a)(2)(ii)(C).

(7) On August 18, 2005, Advisors entered into a cash settled equity swap agreement with Broker on behalf of MRES. The settlement date of the swap agreement is May 24, 2007. On such date, MRES or Broker, as applicable, will be required to make a payment to the other such that the resulting economic effect of the swap arrangement will be as if (i) MRES paid Broker \$47,462.23, representing \$56.57 for each share of BRN common stock subject to this agreement as of August 18, 2005, and (ii) Broker paid to MRES the market value of 839 shares of BRN common stock as of May 24, 2007. Any dividends received by Broker on account of the common stock subject to this agreement will be paid to MRES and MRES will pay to Broker a finance charge.

(8) On August 18, 2005, Advisors entered into a cash settled equity swap agreement with a Broker on behalf of MRESOF. The settlement date of the swap agreement is May 24, 2007. On such date, MRESOF or Broker, as applicable, will be required to make a payment to the other such that the resulting economic effect of the swap arrangement will be as if (i) MRESOF paid Broker \$93,962.77, representing \$56.57 for each share of BRN common stock subject to this agreement as of August 18, 2005, and (ii) Broker paid to MRESOF the market value of 1,661 shares of BRN common stock as of May 24, 2007. Any dividends received by Broker on account of the common stock subject to this agreement will be paid to MRESOF and MRESOF will pay to Broker a finance charge.

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