FURMAN WILLIAM A

Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading FURMAN WILLIAM A Issuer Symbol GREENBRIER COMPANIES INC (Check all applicable) [GBX] _X__ 10% Owner (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction _X_ Director Other (specify X_ Officer (give title (Month/Day/Year)

ONE CENTERPOINTE DRIVE, SUITE 200

> (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

03/02/2006

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

President & CEO

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

below)

LAKE OSWEGO, OR 97035-8612

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-D	Derivative S	Securi	ties Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Benefici	ally Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit on(A) or Dis (D) (Instr. 3, 4	sposed	of	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 - GBX (1)	03/02/2006		G(2)	77,500	D	\$0	2,000,000	D	
Common stock - GBX	03/02/2006		G(2)	77,500	A	\$ 0	77,500	I	Charitable Remainder Unitrust (2)

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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	e and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	onNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amour	nt of	Derivative	Deriv
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Underl	ying	Security	Secui
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				Code V	(A) (D)			,	Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
- 5	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
FURMAN WILLIAM A ONE CENTERPOINTE DRIVE SUITE 200 LAKE OSWEGO, OR 97035-8612	X	X	President & CEO				

Signatures

/s/ William A. Furman By Robert W. Shank Attorney-in-fact 03/03/2006

**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).
- On February 28, 2006, The Greenbrier Companies, Inc., an Oregon Corporation, became the successor by merger to The Greenbrier (1) Companies, Inc., a Delaware corporation. The merger had the effect of changing the domicile of the entity from Delaware to Oregon, but did not alter the proportionate interests of security holders.
- Reporting person contributed 77,500 shares of The Greenbrier Companies, Inc. common stock to a charitable remainder unitrust of which the reporting person is a trustee and of which the reporting person and his wife are beneficiaries. Reporting person continues to report beneficial ownership of all the The Greenbrier Companies, Inc. common stock held by the trust but disclaims beneficial ownership except to the extent of his and his wife's pecuniary interest therein.

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