# FORM 4

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#### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Ty	pe Response	es)															
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *- CAMPBELL BRUCE A				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol FORWARD AIR CORP [FWRD]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  X Director 10% Owner				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 430 AIRPORT ROAD				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/03/2005									X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)  President & CEO				
(Street)				4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)							ear)		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person				
GREENI	EVILLE, T	N 37745													Reporting Perso	n	
(Cit	y)	(State)	(Zip)			1	able I - I	Non-De	rivati	ive Secu	uritie	s Acquired	, Dispose	d of, or Ben	eficially Ow	ned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year		2A. Deemed Execution Date, any (Month/Day/Yea		ĺ	(Instr. 8		(A)	4. Securities Acqui (A) or Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)						Ownership Form:	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
				(Wolfall Bay) Tea		rear	Code	e V	Amo		(D)	Price	(Albar 2 and 4)			(Instr. 4)	
Common	Stock		11/03/2005				M		59,4	457 A		\$ 4.17 83	83,456			D	
Common	mmon Stock 11/03/2005						S		59,4	457 D		\$ 35.76 23	23,999			D	
Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion	rsion Date Ex rcise (Month/Day/Year) an of tive	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4. 5 if Transaction o Code D (Instr. 8) S (Intr. 8) C		5. N of Deri Secu Acq (A) Disp (D)	umber vative urities uired	6. Date Expiration (Month/D		convertible secur Exercisable and on Date 'Day/Year)		7. Title ar Amount of Underlyin Securities (Instr. 3 a	nt of lying ties	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Owners Form of Derivati Security Direct ( or Indire	Beneficia Ownershi (Instr. 4)  D) ect
				Code	V	and (A)	(D)	Date Exercis		Expirati Date	ion	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 4.17	11/03/2005		М			59,457	<u>(1</u>	)	01/01/	2009	Common Stock	<sup>1</sup> 59,457	\$ 0	57,005	D	
Repoi	ting O	wners	Rela	tionships													

D/	Relationships						
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
CAMPBELL BRUCE A 430 AIRPORT ROAD GREENEVILLE, TN 37745	X		President & CEO				

### **Signatures**

By: /s/ Lera Doherty, Attorney-in-Fact	11/07/2005
**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) This is a vesting schedule, 25% over 4 years, commencing 1/1/2000.

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