

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)						
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] – LEINBACH TRACY A	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 03/29/2007	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol FORWARD AIR CORP [FWRD]				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 430 AIRPORT ROAD	03/29/2007	Person(s) to I		-	5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	
(Street) GREENEVILLE, TN 37745		(Check all applicable) <u>X</u> _Director Officer (give		wner	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) 	
(City) (State) (Zip)	Table I - N	on-Derivati	ve Securitie	s Ben	eficially Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Beneficially (Instr. 4)	Owned		Owner		

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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 Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

 and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		Securities Underlying Derivative Security		or Exercise	Ownership	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Date Exercisable	Expiration Date			Derivative Security Security Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
LEINBACH TRACY A 430 AIRPORT ROAD GREENEVILLE, TN 37745	Х					

Signatures

By: /s/ Lera Doherty, Attorney-in-Fact

**Signature of Reporting Person

04/06/2007

Explanation of Responses:

No securities are beneficially owned

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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).

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, See Instruction 6 for procedure.

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Power of Attorney

Know all by these presents, that the undersigned (the "Reporting Person") hereby constitutes and appoints Lera Doherty Attorney-in-Fact as the Reporting Person's true and lawful Attorney-in-Fact to:

(1) execute for and on behalf of the Reporting Person, in the Reporting Person's capacity as an officer or director of Forward Air Corporation (the "Company"), Forms 3, 4 and 5 in accordance with Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the rules thereunder;

(2) do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of the Reporting Person which may be necessary or desirable to complete and execute any such Form 3, 4 or 5 and timely file such form with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission and any stock exchange or similar authority; and

(3) take any other action of any type whatsoever in connection with the foregoing which, in the opinion of such Attorney-in-Fact, may be of benefit to, and in the best interest of, or legally required by, the Reporting Person.

The Reporting Person hereby grants to each such Attorney-in-Fact full power and authority to do and perform any and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary or proper to be done in the exercise of any of the rights and powers herein granted, as fully to all intents and purposes as the Reporting Person might or could do if personally present, with full power of substitution or revocation, hereby ratifying and confirming all that such Attorney-in-Fact, or such Attorney-in-Fact's substitute or substitutes, shall lawfully do or cause to be done by the virtue of this Power of Attorney and the rights and powers herein granted. The Reporting Person acknowledges that the foregoing Attorneys-in-Fact, in serving in such capacity at the request of the Reporting Person, are not assuming, nor is the company assuming, any of the Reporting Person's responsibilities to comply with Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until the Reporting Person is no longer required to file Forms 3, 4 and 5 with respect to the Reporting Person's holdings of and transactions in securities issued by the Company, unless earlier revoked by the Reporting Person in a signed writing delivered to the foregoing Attorney-in-Fact.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Reporting Person has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of this 5 day of April, 2007.

/s/ Tracy A. Leinbach Tracy A. Leinbach

Sworn to and subscribed before me at Southern Pines, NC this 5 day of April, 2007.

/s/ Sharon G. Williams Notary Public

SHARON G. WILLIAMS Notary Public - State of North Carolina Moore County My Commission Expires 06/16/2007 My Commission Expires: 06/16/2007