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

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1. Name and Address of R McLean Michael P	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol FORWARD AIR CORP [FWRD]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner				
430 AIRPORT ROAD	(First)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/10/2008						X_Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)   Cheif Accounting Off, VP, Cont		
GREENEVILLE, TN	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)						6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(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)	Execution Date, if	tion Date, if Code (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	Ownership Form:	Beneficial Ownership		
Common Stock		12/31/2007		J <u>(1)</u>		196 <mark>(1)</mark>	A	<u>(1)</u>	4,975 <u>(1)</u>	D	

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

	( <i>e.g.</i> , puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)														
1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction	3A. Deemed	4.		5. Number		6. Date Exercisable and		7. Title and		8. Price of	9. Number of	10.	11. Nature
Derivative	Conversion	Date	Execution Date, if	Transac	tion	of	of Expiration Date		Amount of E		Derivative	Derivative	Ownership	of Indirect	
Security	or Exercise	(Month/Day/Year)	any	Code		Derivativ	ve	(Month/Day	/Year)	Underlying		Security	Securities	Form of	Beneficial
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8	)	Securitie	es					(Instr. 5)	Beneficially	Derivative	Ownership
	Derivative					Acquired	b	1		(Instr. 3 and 4)					(Instr. 4)
	Security					(A) or							0	Direct (D)	
						Disposed	d of						1	or Indirect	
						(D) (In star 2	4						Transaction(s)	· /	
						(Instr. 3, and 5)	4,						(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
						and 5)	-								
											Amount				
								Date	Expiration	Title	or Number				
								Exercisable	Date	The	of				
				Code	v	(A)	(D)				Shares				
C 1				coue	•	()	(2)				Shares				
Stock										a					
Option	\$ 29.44	02/10/2008		А		22,500		<u>(2)</u>	02/10/2015	Common Stock	22,500	(2)	47,500	D	
(Right to		=		-		,200				Stock	,		.,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,		
Buy)															

# **Reporting Owners**

	Relationships								
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Othe					
McLean Michael P 430 AIRPORT ROAD GREENEVILLE, TN 37745			Cheif Accounting Off, VP, Cont						

### Signatures

Michael McLean	02/12/2008
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) Includes 196 shares acquired under the Issuer's employee stock purchase plan in June and December 2007.

(2) This is a vesting schedule, 33-1/3% over 3 years commencing 2/10/09.

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