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longer subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN 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

Name and Address of Reporting Person *  McLean Michael P			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol FORWARD AIR CORP [FWRD]							5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner						
(Last) (First) (Middle) 430 AIRPORT ROAD				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/02/2009								X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)  VP & CAO				
(Street) GREENEVILLE, TN 37745				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								Owned				
(Instr. 3) Da		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, any (Month/Day/Ye		3. Transa Code (Instr. 8)	(A) or Disposed (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		of	Beneficia	ally Owned Following I Transaction(s)		Ownership Form: Direct (D)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
							Code	V	Amour	(A) or	Price	e			or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
Common	Stock		06/02/2009				F(1)		221	11)	\$ 0 (1)	3,989 (1	)		D	
indirectly.			Table II - E	<b>D</b> erivativ	ve Secur	ritie	s Acquire	Pers conta the f	ons whained i	n this fo splays a of, or Ber	rm ar curre	e not req ently valid Ily Owned	uired to re	nformation espond unl ntrol numb	ess	EC 1474 (9- 02)
Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/\(^2\)	3A. Deemed Execution Da	4. Transaction Code Year) (Instr. 8)		on (1)	5. Number	6. Dand	and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)  S (		7. T Ame Und Seco	itle and ount of lerlying urities tr. 3 and	Derivative Security	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4)	Owners Form of Derivati Security Direct (I or Indire	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code '	v	(A) (D)	Date Exer	e rcisable	Expiratio Date	n Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Repor	ting O	wners				•										

Describer Occurs Name / Address	Relationships						
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
McLean Michael P 430 AIRPORT ROAD GREENEVILLE, TN 37745			VP & CAO				

## **Signatures**

/s/ Michael P McLean	03/11/2010
**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) Restricted stock withheld by Issuer to satisfy tax withholding obligation on vesting of restricted stock.

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