

FRIENDLY ICE CREAM CORP  
 Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**MANNING BURTON J**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**FRIENDLY ICE CREAM CORP [frn]**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
**08/30/2007**

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

**655 PARK AVENUE**

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**NEW YORK, NY 10021**

(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)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price
Common Stock	08/30/2007		D		14,000	D	0

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)**

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options	\$ 5.75	08/30/2007		D	2,150	<sup>(2)</sup> 04/20/2009	Common Stock	2,150
Stock Options	\$ 2.4	08/30/2007		D	5,000	<sup>(3)</sup> 07/25/2011	Common Stock	5,000
Stock Options	\$ 9	08/30/2007		D	4,500	<sup>(4)</sup> 10/22/2008	Common Stock	4,500
Stock Options	\$ 9.71	08/30/2007		D	4,500	<sup>(5)</sup> 10/19/2009	Common Stock	4,500
Stock Options	\$ 9.81	08/30/2007		D	3,000	<sup>(6)</sup> 11/02/2010	Common Stock	3,000
Stock Options	\$ 10.61	08/30/2007		D	4,000	<sup>(7)</sup> 11/01/2011	Common Stock	4,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
MANNING BURTON J 655 PARK AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10021		X		

## Signatures

/s/ Gregory A. Pastore, Under Power of Attorney for Burton J. Manning

10/01/2007

\*\*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).

Disposed in connection with the merger of the issuer with Freeze Operations, Inc. pursuant to that certain agreement and plan of merger (1) dated June 17, 2007, by and among the issuer, Freeze Operations Holding Corp. and Freeze Operations, Inc. (the "Merger"), in exchange for the right to receive a cash payment equal to \$15.50 per share.

(2)

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These options became fully vested on December 20, 2004, and were cancelled in connection with the Merger in exchange for a cash payment of \$20,962.50, representing the difference between the exercise price of the options and \$15.50 per share.

- (3) These options became fully vested on December 20, 2004, and were cancelled in connection with the Merger in exchange for a cash payment of \$65,500.00, representing the difference between the exercise price of the options and \$15.50 per share.
- (4) These options became fully vested on December 20, 2004, and were cancelled in connection with the Merger in exchange for a cash payment of \$29,250.00, representing the difference between the exercise price of the options and \$15.50 per share.
- (5) These options became fully vested on December 20, 2004, and were cancelled in connection with the Merger in exchange for a cash payment of \$26,055.00, representing the difference between the exercise price of the options and \$15.50 per share.

- These options, which provided for vesting in three equal annual installments commencing on November 2, 2006, were accelerated and
- (6) became fully vested, and were cancelled in connection with the Merger in exchange for a cash payment of \$17,070.00, representing the difference between the exercise price of the options and \$15.50 per share.

- These options, which provided for vesting in three equal annual installments commencing on November 1, 2007, were accelerated and
- (7) became fully vested, and were cancelled in connection with the Merger in exchange for a cash payment of \$19,560.00, representing the difference between the exercise price of the options and \$15.50 per share.

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