

BARNES GROUP INC  
Form 4  
August 28, 2007

# FORM 4

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

OMB APPROVAL

OMB Number: 3235-0287  
Expires: January 31, 2005  
Estimated average burden hours per response... 0.5

Check this box if no 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, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
O BRIEN LAWRENCE W

(Last) (First) (Middle)

BARNES GROUP INC., 123 MAIN STREET

(Street)

BRISTOL, CT 06011-0489

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
BARNES GROUP INC [B]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
08/24/2007

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

Vice President, Treasurer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	V	Amount				(D)
Common Stock	08/22/2007		G <sup>(1)</sup>	V	2,652	D	\$ 0	0	D	
Common Stock	08/22/2007		G <sup>(3)</sup>	V	6,454	D	\$ 0	66,127 <sup>(2)</sup>	D	
Common Stock	08/22/2007		G <sup>(1)</sup>	V	2,652	A	\$ 0	2,652	I	As UGMA custodian for daughter
Common Stock	08/22/2007		G <sup>(3)</sup>	V	6,454	A	\$ 0	6,454	I	As UGMA custodian for son
	08/24/2007		S		2,652	D		0	I	

Edgar Filing: BARNES GROUP INC - Form 4

Common Stock					\$ 31.51				As UGMA custodian for daughter
Common Stock	08/24/2007		S	6,454	D	\$ 31.49	0	I	As UGMA custodian for son
Common Stock							237.4426	I	By Company's Employee Stock Purchase Plan
Common Stock							504.961	I	By Company's 401(k) Plan

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

**Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB control number.**

SEC 1474 (9-02)

**Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**  
(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Owned Following Reporting Transaction (Instr. 6)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
O BRIEN LAWRENCE W BARNES GROUP INC. 123 MAIN STREET			Vice President, Treasurer	

BRISTOL, CT 06011-0489

## Signatures

Signe S. Gates, pursuant to a Power  
of Atty

08/28/2007

\_\_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).
- (1) This transaction involved a gift of securities by the reporting person to his daughter, who shares reporting person's household. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares held by his daughter.  
  
Includes a balance of 4,000 Restricted Stock Units granted 4/14/04, a balance of 3,000 Restricted Stock Units and a balance of 1,500 Performance Share Awards granted 2/16/05, 3,400 Restricted Stock Units and a balance of 1,333 Performance Share Awards granted 2/15/06, and 2,100 Restricted Stock Units and 2,100 Performance Share Awards granted 2/14/07 that are subject to forfeiture if certain events occur.
- (2)
- (3) This transaction involved a gift of securities by the reporting person to his son, who shares reporting person's household. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares held by his son.

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

Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.