

WEBB NORRISS M  
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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 \*  
WEBB NORRISS M

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
GREENBRIER COMPANIES INC  
[GBX]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
  
(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
  
ONE CENTERPOINTE  
DRIVE, SUITE 200  
  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
01/31/2006

\_\_\_\_ Director  
 Officer (give title below)  
\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
Exec VP & General Counsel

LAKE OSWEGO, OR 97035-8612

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

(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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock - GBX <sup>(1)</sup>	01/31/2006		M		10,000	A	\$ 8.5625
Common Stock - GBX <sup>(1)</sup>	01/31/2006		M		20,000	A	\$ 9.1875
Common Stock - GBX <sup>(2)</sup>	01/31/2006		S		700	D	\$ 35.15
Common Stock - GBX <sup>(2)</sup>	01/31/2006		I		29,300	D	\$ 35

Stock -  
GBX <sup>(2)</sup>

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)

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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 8.5625	01/31/2006		M	10,000	03/25/2001 <sup>(3)</sup> 03/24/2007	Common Stock	10,000
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 9.1875	01/31/2006		M	20,000	01/09/2003 <sup>(4)</sup> 07/08/2009	Common Stock	20,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
WEBB NORRISS M ONE CENTERPOINTE DRIVE SUITE 200 LAKE OSWEGO, OR 97035-8612			Exec VP & General Counsel	

## Signatures

/s/ Norriss M. Webb By Maren C. Malik  
Attorney-in-fact

01/31/2006

\_\_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) GBX shares were acquired through exercise of an Incentive Stock Option.
- (2) Reporting person executed a same-day-sale transaction selling GBX shares acquired through exercise of an Incentive Stock Option.
- (3) 5,000 shares became exercisable on March 25, 2001 and 5,000 shares became exercisable on March 25, 2004.
- (4) 10,000 shares became exercisable on January 9, 2003 and 10,000 shares became exercisable on June 30, 2005.

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