#### **BUCKEYE TECHNOLOGIES INC**

Form 4

November 04, 2005

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

**CANNON R HOWARD** 

(First)

**BUCKEYE TECHNOLOGIES INC** 

(Check all applicable)

[BKI]

(Last)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

4. If Amendment, Date Original

(Instr. 8)

X Director 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title

(Month/Day/Year)

11/03/2005

1001 TILLMAN AVENUE (Street)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

below)

MEMPHIS, TN 38112

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (I)

Following

(Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A) or

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Owned

Code V Amount (D) Price

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

Conversion or Exercise 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any

5. Number of 4. **Transaction**Derivative Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amor Underlying Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3) Price of (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) Derivative or Disposed of Security (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) Code V (A) (D) Date Expiration

Title

Exercisable Date

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Non-Qualified

Common **Stock Option** \$ 7.57 11/03/2005 A 10,000 11/03/2006 11/03/2015 10 Stock

(right to buy)

### **Reporting Owners**

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address Director 10% Owner Officer Other **CANNON R HOWARD** 

1001 TILLMAN AVENUE X MEMPHIS, TN 38112

# **Signatures**

R. HOWARD 11/04/2005 **CANNON** 

\*\*Signature of Reporting Date Person

## **Explanation of Responses:**

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