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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

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GBX

04/07/2009

(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** Leeson Lorie			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) NE CENTERPOINTE RIVE, SUITE 200		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/06/2009	Director 10% Owner Specify below) UP Corp Fin & Asst. Treasurer			
LAKE OSW	(Street) EGO, OR 9	7035-8612	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 Ac	anired. Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned			

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1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)				5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 1)
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stock - GBX	04/06/2009		S <u>(1)</u>	420	D	\$ 4.15	16,105.286	D	
Common						¢			

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

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

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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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				Code V	(A) (D)			,	Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

VP Corp Fin & Asst. Treasurer

Leeson Lorie

ONE CENTERPOINTE DRIVE

SUITE 200

LAKE OSWEGO, OR 97035-8612

Signatures

/s/ Lorie L. Leeson By Robert W. Shank Attorney-in-fact

04/07/2009

**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) Sale of shares was executed pursuant to a sales plan intended to comply with the requirements of Rule 10b5-1(c)(1) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.
- Amount of securities beneficially owned following reported transaction(s) includes 1,031.114 shares acquired through participation in the (2) Greenbrier Companies Employee Stock Purchase Plan. These shares were acquired at various dates and reflect acquisitions through March 2009.

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