

GREENBRIER COMPANIES INC  
 Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

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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 \*  
 FURMAN WILLIAM A

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)  
 C/O THE GREENBRIER COMPANIES, INC., ONE CENTERPOINTE DRIVE, SUITE 200

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 03/27/2017

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

(Street)  
 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 Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				(A) or (D)	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)**

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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
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(1)</u>	03/27/2017		A	78,519	<u>(2)</u> <u>(2)</u>	Common Stock	78,519

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
FURMAN WILLIAM A C/O THE GREENBRIER COMPANIES, INC. ONE CENTERPOINTE DRIVE, SUITE 200 LAKE OSWEGO, OR 97035-8612	X		President & CEO	

## Signatures

/s/ William A. Furman By Feng C. Grove  
 Attorney-in-fact  
 \*\*Signature of Reporting Person  
 Date 03/29/2017

## 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) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of GBX common stock.
- One-half of the restricted stock units vest in three equal annual installments beginning on March 27, 2018 and the remaining one-half vest
- (2) based upon achievement of performance criteria. Vested shares will be delivered to the Reporting Person on the anniversary dates of the grant or upon a determination that the performance criteria have been met.

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