

BRIGHT HORIZONS FAMILY SOLUTIONS 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 \*  
 MASON LINDA A

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 BRIGHT HORIZONS FAMILY SOLUTIONS INC [BFAM]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 200 TALCOTT AVENUE SOUTH  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 05/28/2008

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
 Chairman of the Board

WATERTOWN, MA 02472

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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(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) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
| Common Stock                    | 05/28/2008                           |  | D                              | 40,180  | D \$ 0 <sup>(1)</sup>   | 26,404   | I By Linda A. Mason Trust                             |
| Common Stock                    | 05/28/2008                           |  | D                              | 26,404  | D \$ 48.25 <sup>(2)</sup>   | 0  | I By Linda A. Mason Trust                             |
| Common Stock                    | 05/28/2008                           |  | D                              | 8,150   | D \$ 0 <sup>(1)</sup>   | 21,404   | I By Roger H. Brown Trust                             |
| Common Stock                    | 05/28/2008                           |  | D                              | 21,404  | D \$ 48.25  | 0  | I By Roger H. Brown                                   |

(2)

Trust

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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | Amount or Number of Shares |                            |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|----------------------------|----------------------------|
|  |  |                                      |  | Code                           | V (A) (D)   | Date Exercisable   | Expiration Date   | Title                      | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Stock Options (Right to buy)               | \$ 13.295  | 05/28/2008                           |  | D                              | 1,600   | <u>(3)</u> 03/06/2013                                    | Common Stock  | 1,600                      |                            |
| Stock Options (Right to buy)               | \$ 36.63   | 05/28/2008                           |  | D                              | 8,000   | <u>(3)</u> 02/16/2013                                    | Common Stock  | 8,000                      |                            |
| Stock Options (Right to buy)               | \$ 38  | 05/28/2008                           |  | D                              | 4,000   | <u>(3)</u> 10/12/2012                                    | Common Stock  | 4,000                      |                            |
| Stock Options (Right to buy)               | \$ 39.44   | 05/28/2008                           |  | D                              | 8,000   | <u>(3)</u> 02/06/2014                                    | Common Stock  | 8,000                      |                            |
| Restricted Share Units                     | <u>(6)</u>   | 05/28/2008                           |  | D                              | 275   | <u>(7)</u> <u>(6)</u>                                    | Common Stock  | 275                        |                            |
| Stock Options (Right to buy)               | \$ 12.03   | 05/28/2008                           |  | D                              | 18,080  | <u>(3)</u> 12/13/2011                                    | Common Stock  | 18,080                     |                            |
| Stock Options                              | \$ 13.295  | 05/28/2008                           |  | D                              | 18,200  | <u>(3)</u> 03/06/2013                                    | Common Stock  | 18,200                     |                            |

(Right to buy)

|                              |         |            |   |       |     |            |              |       |
|------------------------------|---------|------------|---|-------|-----|------------|--------------|-------|
| Stock Options (Right to buy) | \$ 14.3 | 05/28/2008 | D | 3,200 | (3) | 02/14/2012 | Common Stock | 3,200 |
|------------------------------|---------|------------|---|-------|-----|------------|--------------|-------|

|                              |          |            |   |       |     |            |              |       |
|------------------------------|----------|------------|---|-------|-----|------------|--------------|-------|
| Stock Options (Right to buy) | \$ 34.99 | 05/28/2008 | D | 2,000 | (3) | 06/05/2013 | Common Stock | 2,000 |
|------------------------------|----------|------------|---|-------|-----|------------|--------------|-------|

|                              |         |            |   |       |     |            |              |       |
|------------------------------|---------|------------|---|-------|-----|------------|--------------|-------|
| Stock Options (Right to buy) | \$ 37.6 | 05/28/2008 | D | 2,000 | (3) | 05/24/2012 | Common Stock | 2,000 |
|------------------------------|---------|------------|---|-------|-----|------------|--------------|-------|

|                              |         |            |   |       |     |            |              |       |
|------------------------------|---------|------------|---|-------|-----|------------|--------------|-------|
| Stock Options (Right to buy) | \$ 38.1 | 05/28/2008 | D | 2,000 | (3) | 05/08/2014 | Common Stock | 2,000 |
|------------------------------|---------|------------|---|-------|-----|------------|--------------|-------|

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                   | Relationships |           |                          |       |
|--|---------------|-----------|--------------------------|-------|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                  | Other |
| MASON LINDA A<br>200 TALCOTT AVENUE SOUTH<br>WATERTOWN, MA 02472 | X             |           | Chairman<br>of the Board |       |

## Signatures

Elizabeth J. Boland 05/28/2008

\*\*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).
- (3) Immediately before the effective time of the merger, all unvested options become fully vested and exercisable.
- (2) Disposed of in connection with the merger in exchange for the right to receive \$48.25 per share.
- (6) These Restricted Share Units were cancelled in the merger in exchange for a cash payment equal to the merger consideration of \$48.25 per share.
- (5) These options were rolled over into the surviving corporation in the merger and replaced with new options.
- (1) Disposed of in connection with the merger in exchange for an equity interest in the surviving corporation. In connection with the merger, the issuer's common stock was valued at \$48.25 per share.
- (7) Immediately before the effective time of the merger, all Restricted Share Units become exercisable.
- (4)

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These options were cancelled in the previously announced merger of Bright Horizons Family Solutions with an affiliate of Bain Capital Partners in exchange for a cash payment equal to the difference between the exercise price of the option and the merger consideration of \$48.25 per share, multiplied by the number of shares subject to the option.

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