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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement BRADY CORP [BRC] **Â** Tatterson Robert (Month/Day/Year) 10/02/2006 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) 6555 WEST GOOD HOPE (Check all applicable) **ROAD** (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group 10% Owner Director _X__ Officer Other Filing(Check Applicable Line) (give title below) (specify below) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Chief Technology Officer Person MILWAUKEE, WIÂ 53223 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 5) (Instr. 4) Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security		4. Conversion or Exercise	5. Ownership Form of	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial
(IIISU. 4)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	(Instr. 4) Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivative Security	Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	Ownership (Instr. 5)

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(Instr. 5)

Class A

Option to Buy $10/02/2007_{\underline{(1)(2)}}^{\underline{(1)(2)}} 10/02/2016_{\underline{(1)(2)}}^{\underline{(1)(2)}}$ Common 15,000 \$ 34.915 D \hat{A}

Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Tatterson Robert

6555 WEST GOOD HOPE ROAD Â Â Chief Technology Officer Â

MILWAUKEE, WIÂ 53223

Signatures

/s/ Barbara Bolens 10/03/2006

**Signature of Date Reporting Person

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- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) These options vest one-third each fiscal year 2007-2009 upon attainment of predetermined net income levels.
- (2) Employee stock option granted pursuant to Brady Corporation 2004 Omnibus Incentive Stock Plan.

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