FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>SIMMONS JOHN E</u>					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol FARMER BROTHERS CO [FARM]										elationship o eck all applic Directo	able)	g Pers	on(s) to Issi 10% Ov Other (s	ner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 20333 S NORMANDIE AVE					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/20/2008										below)			below)	peony	
(Street) TORRA			90502 (Zip)			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 02/22/2008								Line) K Form fi	or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable form filed by One Reporting Person form filed by More than One Reporting form				
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1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Trans Date (Month/I					ear)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year			Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 5)			(A) or 3, 4 and	5. Amour Securitie Beneficia Owned F	s ally ollowing	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
										Code	v	Amount (A) or (D)		Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)					
Common stock 02/20/					20/200	/2008			A		1,500 A		\$0 ⁽³⁾	10,),275		D			
	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. Deemec Execution E if any (Month/Day	Date,	Code (Ins				6. Date Exercisabl Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			Amount of			8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Numbe derivative Securities Beneficia Owned Following Reported Transacti (Instr. 4)	e s Illy	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership ct (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exer	e rcisable	Exp Dat	oiration e	Title	0 0	Amount or Jumber of Shares					
Stock Option (to acquire common	\$20.7	02/20/2008			A		9,000			(1)	02/	20/2015 ⁽²⁾	Commo stock		9,000	\$0	9,000)	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Stock options vest ratably over three years from grant.
- 2. Form 4/A reflects correct expiration date of option grant.
- $3.\ Grant\ to\ reporting\ person\ of\ restricted\ stock\ under\ 2007\ Omnibus\ Plan.\ Will\ vest\ February\ 20,\ 2011.$

John E. Simmons

02/22/2008

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- * 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).

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