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UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

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Form 13F

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Report for the Calendar Year or Quarter Ended: June 30, 2001

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Check here if Amendment [] ; Amendment Number: _____

This Amendment (Check only one.):
[] is a restatement.
[] adds new holdings entries.

Institutional Investment Manager Filing this Report:

Name: Berkshire Hathaway Inc.
Address: 1440 Kiewit Plaza
Omaha, NE 68131

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Form 13F File Number: 28-4545

The institutional investment manager filing this report and the person by whom it is signed hereby represent that the person signing the report is authorized to submit it, that all information contained herein is true, correct and complete, and that it is understood that all required items, statements, schedules, lists, and tables, are considered integral parts of this form.

Person Signing this Report on Behalf of Reporting Manager:

Name: Marc D. Hamburg
Title: Vice President
Phone: 402-346-1400

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Signature, Place, and Date of Signing:

Marc D. Hamburg Omaha, NE August 13, 2001
[Signature] [City, State] [Date]

Report Type (Check only one.):

- [] 13F HOLDINGS REPORT. (Check here if all holdings of this reporting manager are reported in this report.)
- [] 13F NOTICE. (Check here if no holdings reported are in this report, and all holdings are reported by other reporting manager(s).)
- [✓] 13F COMBINATION REPORT. (Check here if a portion of the holdings for this reporting manager are reported in this report and a portion are reported by other reporting manager(s).)

List of Other Managers Reporting for this Manager:

Form 13F File Number	Name
<u>28-5194</u>	<u>General Re - New England Asset Management, Inc.</u>

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Form 13F SUMMARY PAGE

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Report Summary:

Number of Other Included Managers:	<u>18</u>
Form 13F Information Table Entry Total:	<u>8</u>
Form 13F Information Table Value Total:	\$ <u>1,014,246</u> (thousands)

Confidential Information has been omitted from the public Form 13F and filed separately with the Commission.

List of Other Included Managers:

Provide a numbered list of the name(s) and Form 13F file number(s) of all institutional investment managers with respect to which this report is filed, other than the manager filing this report.

[If there are no entries in this list, state "NONE" and omit the column headings and list entries.]

No.	Form 13F File Number	Name
1.	28-5678	Berkshire Hathaway Life Insurance Co. of Nebraska
2.	28-5676	BHG Life Insurance Co.
3.	28-719	Blue Chip Stamps
4.	28-554	Buffett, Warren E.
5.	28-1517	Columbia Insurance Co.
6.	28-2226	Cornhusker Casualty Co.
7.	28-6102	Cypress Insurance Co.
8.	28-852	GEICO Corp.
9.	28-101	Government Employees Ins. Corp.
10.	28-1066	National Fire & Marine
11.	28-718	National Indemnity Co.
12.	28-5006	National Liability & Fire Ins. Co.
13.	28-6104	Nebraska Furniture Mart
14.	28-717	OBH Inc.
15.	28-2740	Plaza Investment Managers
16.	28-1357	Wesco Financial Corp.
17.	28-3091	Wesco Financial Ins. Co.
18.	28-3105	Wesco Holdings Midwest, Inc.

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BERKSHIRE HATHAWAY INC.
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Column 1 Name of Issuer	Column 2 Title of Class	Column 3 CUSIP Number	Column 4 Market Value (In Thousands)	Column 5 Shares or Principal Amount	Column 6 Investment Discretion			Column 7 Other Managers		Column 8 Voting Authority		
					(a) Sole	(b) Shared - Defined	(c) Shared - Other	(a) Sole	(b) Shared	(c) None	(a) Sole	(b) Shared
Cosco Wholesale Corp.	Com	22160K 10 5	462,848	11,267,000		X		4, 11, 14	11,267,000			
Gap Inc.	Com	364760 10 8	179,365	6,185,000		X		4, 8, 9, 11, 14, 15	6,185,000			
Liz Claiborne	Com	539320 10 1	61,251	1,214,100		X		4, 11, 14	1,214,100			
Nucor Corp.	Com	670340 10 5	49,095	1,004,200		X		4, 11, 14	1,004,200			
Sealed Air Corporation	Com	81211K 10 0	143,107	3,841,800		X		4, 11, 14	3,841,800			
Sealed Air Corporation	PVD CVA	81211K 20 9	27,146	679,500		X		4, 11, 14	679,500			
			\$922,812									

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Column 1 Name of Issuer	Column 2 Title of Class	Column 3 CUSIP Number	Column 4 Market Value (In Thousands)	Column 5 Shares or Principal Amount	Column 6 Investment Discretion			Column 7 Other Managers		Column 8 Voting Authority	
					(a) Sole	(b) Shared - Defined	(c) Shared - Other	Managers	(a) Sole	(b) Shared	(c) None
Dover Corp.	Com	260003 10 8	37,650	1,000,000		X		4, 8, 9, 11, 14, 15	1,000,000		
Outback Steakhouse Inc.	Com	689899 10 2	53,784	1,867,500		X		4, 8, 9, 11, 14, 15	1,867,500		
			<u>91,434</u>								
			<u>\$1,014,246</u>								
			GRAND TOTAL								

CONFIDENTIAL TREATMENT REQUESTED UNTIL AUGUST 14, 2002