

BURKART PHILIP A
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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 *
BURKART PHILIP A

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
TORO CO [TTC]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
8111 LYNDALE AVENUE SOUTH

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
12/01/2009

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)

VP, Irrigation Businesses

(Street)

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

BLOOMINGTON, MN 55420-1196

(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 | | | | (A) or (D) | 40,777 | D | |
| Common Stock | | | | (A) or (D) | 21,872.112 (1) | I | The Toro Company Investment, Savings & ESOP |

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) | 8. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|---|
| Stock Option | \$ 40.73 | 12/01/2009 | | A | 8,500 | (2) 12/01/2019 | Common Stock | 8,500 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| BURKART PHILIP A 8111 LYNDAL AVENUE SOUTH BLOOMINGTON, MN 55420-1196 | | | VP, Irrigation Businesses | |

Signatures

/s/ Amy E. Dahl,
Attorney-in-Fact

12/02/2009

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).

- Includes the following shares of common stock acquired by the reporting person under the dividend reinvestment feature of The Toro Company Investment, Savings & ESOP (IS&ESOP) since the date of his last report: 89,801 shares acquired on January 12, 2009, 124,729 shares acquired on April 13, 2009, 109,646 shares acquired on July 10, 2009, and 83,624 shares acquired on October 19, 2009. Also includes 163,857 shares acquired on March 5, 2009 through contributions to the IS&ESOP, and an account adjustment (rounding) of 1.24 shares of common stock on January 12, 2009.
- (2) The option vests in three equal annual installments commencing on the first anniversary of the date of grant.

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