HAGEDORN JAMES

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

HAGEDORN JAMES

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

SCOTTS MIRACLE-GRO CO

[SMG]

(Month/Day/Year)

01/20/2010

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

below)

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

_X__ Director X_ Officer (give title

X 10% Owner Other (specify

Chairman and CEO

C/O THE SCOTTS MIRACLE-GRO COMPANY, 14111 SCOTTSLAWN ROAD

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

MARYSVILLE, OH 43041

(City)

1.Title of

Security

(Instr. 3)

(State)

(Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

3.

Code

(Instr. 8)

4. Securities

Disposed of (D)

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

TransactionAcquired (A) or

Securities

Reported

5. Amount of Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect Beneficial

(Instr. 4)

7. Nature of Indirect Ownership

(Instr. 4)

(A)

Code V Amount (D) Price

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

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)

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| 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 on 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) | |
|---|---|--------------------------------------|---|---|--|--|--------------------|---|-------------------------------------|
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 41.62 | 01/20/2010 | | A | 81,200 | 01/20/2013 | 01/17/2020 | Common Shares | 81,200 |
| Restricted Stock Units | (1) | 01/20/2010 | | A | 37,500 | (2) | (2) | Common Shares | 37,500 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------------------|-------|--|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | |
| HAGEDORN JAMES | | | G1 1 | | |
| C/O THE SCOTTS MIRACLE-GRO COMPANY 14111 SCOTTSLAWN ROAD | X | X | Chairman and CEO | | |
| MARYSVILLE, OH 43041 | | | | | |

Signatures

Kathy L. Uttley as attorney-in-fact for James
Hagedorn

01/22/2010

**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).
- (1) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one common share of The Scotts Miracle-Gro Company.
- (2) The restricted stock units vest in full on the third anniversary of the date of the award.

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