Evans David C Form 4 February 21, 2012

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Evans David C

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

SCOTTS MIRACLE-GRO CO [SMG]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

02/16/2012

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

10% Owner

C/O THE SCOTTS MIRACLE-GRO

(Middle)

(First)

COMPANY, 14111 SCOTTSLAWN ROAD

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Other (specify X_ Officer (give title below)

CFO EVP Strategy Bus Dev

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Director

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

Person

MARYSVILLE, OH 43041

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative	Secu	rities Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	omr Dispos (Instr. 3, 4	ed of (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 Shares	02/16/2012		S	630	D	\$ 47.43	41,287.007	D	
Common Shares	02/16/2012		S	116	D	\$ 47.42	41,171.007	D	
Common Shares	02/16/2012		S	24	D	\$ 47.47	41,147.007	D	
Common Shares	02/16/2012		S	260	D	\$ 47.46	40,887.007	D	
	02/16/2012		S	100	D	\$ 47.45	40,787.007	D	

Common Shares							
Common Shares	02/16/2012	M	35,000	A	\$ 21.65	75,787.007	D
Common Shares	02/16/2012	S(1)	14,519	D	\$ 47.75	61,268.007	D
Common Shares	02/16/2012	S <u>(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 47.74	61,168.007	D
Common Shares	02/16/2012	S <u>(1)</u>	3,620	D	\$ 47.71	57,548.007	D
Common Shares	02/16/2012	S <u>(1)</u>	8,780	D	\$ 47.7	48,768.007	D
Common Shares	02/16/2012	S <u>(1)</u>	3,000	D	\$ 47.65	45,768.007	D
Common Shares	02/16/2012	S <u>(1)</u>	1,520	D	\$ 47.76	44,248.007	D
Common Shares	02/16/2012	S <u>(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 47.7525	44,148.007	D
Common Shares	02/16/2012	S <u>(1)</u>	3,161	D	\$ 47.85	40,987.007	D
Common Shares	02/16/2012	S <u>(1)</u>	200	D	\$ 47.86	40,787.007	D

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	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	tr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities
	Security			Code V	and :	r. 3, 4, 5)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option	\$ 21.65	02/16/2012		M		35,000	10/08/2011	10/05/2018	Common Shares	35,000

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(right to buy)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Evans David C C/O THE SCOTTS MIRACLE-GRO COMPANY 14111 SCOTTSLAWN ROAD MARYSVILLE, OH 43041

CFO EVP Strategy Bus Dev

Signatures

Kathy L. Uttley as attorney-in-fact for David C. Evans

02/21/2012

**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) The sales reported in this Form 4 were made pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on December 15, 2011.

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