HAGEDORN JAMES

Form 4

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Last)

(City)

Common

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

HAGEDORN JAMES

(Middle)

(Zip)

Symbol

(Check all applicable)

SCOTTS MIRACLE-GRO CO

[SMG]

_X__ Director X_ Officer (give title

X__ 10% Owner Other (specify

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 07/31/2012

below)

Chairman and CEO

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

(Street)

(State)

(First)

ROAD

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

MARYSVILLE, OH 43041

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative S	ecurities	s Acqui	ired, 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities oner Disposed (Instr. 3, 4 a	(A) or	red (A)	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)

07/31/2012 Α 55.6948 A 5,038.3145 I 35 91 (1) Shares

Common 106,277.694 D **Shares**

By Common 401(K) 32,496,323 Ι **Shares** Plan

Common HPLP (2) I 2,677,726 **Shares**

By DSPP

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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)

Derivative Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionNumber Expiration Date Amount of I	Derivative Security
1	Security
Security or Exercise any Code of (Month/Day/Year) Underlying S	occurry
(Instr. 3) Price of (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Derivative Securities ((Instr. 5)
Derivative Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
Security Acquired	
(A) or	
Disposed	
of (D)	
(Instr. 3,	
4, and 5)	
Amount	
Amount	
Date Expiration or Title Number	
Exercisable Date Title Number of	
Code V (A) (D) Shares	

Reporting Owners

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

Signatures

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

08/02/2012

**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) Common shares of the Issuer ("Common Shares") acquired under The Scotts Miracle-Gro Company Discounted Stock Purchase Plan (DSPP).
 - Pursuant to Exchange Act Rule 16a-1(a)(1), the reporting person may be deemed, solely for purposes of determining whether he is a beneficial owner of more than 10% of the Common Shares, to be the beneficial owner of the securities of the Issuer that are held by
- (2) Hagedorn Partnership, L.P., a Delaware limited partnership in which the reporting person is a general partner (the "Partnership"). Represents the aggregate proportionate interest of the reporting person and those family members in whose holdings he may be deemed to have a pecuniary interest, in Common Shares held by the Partnership.

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