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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* Ellis Gary Lee

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Last)

(City)

(Middle)

(Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 11/03/2014

TORO CO [TTC]

X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify

(Check all applicable)

below)

8111 LYNDALE AVENUE SOUTH

(Street)

(First)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

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

Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

D

Person

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

below)

BLOOMINGTON, MN 55420-1196

(State)

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A) or

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

Common 11/03/2014 Stock

835 (1) A \$0 19,502 A

Common Stock Units

 $1,782.617 \stackrel{(2)}{=}$ 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)

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on f Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day/	ate Underlying S		Securitie
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amour or Number of Shares
Non-Qualified Stock Option	\$ 61.72	11/03/2014		A	2,596 (3)	<u>(4)</u>	11/03/2024	Common Stock	0 (5)

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
• 5	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Ellis Gary Lee 8111 LYNDALE AVENUE SOUTH BLOOMINGTON, MN 55420-1196	X						

# **Signatures**

/s/ Nancy A. McGrath, Attorney-In-Fact

11/05/2014

\*\*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) Annual common stock award for service as a non-employee director issued under The Toro Company 2010 Equity and Incentive Plan, as amended (the "2010 Plan").
- (2) Includes 23.084 common stock units acquired by the reporting person under the dividend reinvestment feature of The Toro Company Deferred Compensation Plan for Non-Employee Directors since the date of his last report.
- (3) Annual option grant for service as a non-employee director issued under the 2010 Plan.
- (4) The option vests in three equal annual installments commencing on the first anniversary of the date of grant.
- (5) The amount of underlying securities is 2,596.

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