

HAGEDORN JAMES

Form 4

August 24, 2012

FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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1(b).

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
HAGEDORN JAMES

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
SCOTTS MIRACLE-GRO CO
[SMG]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

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

☐ Director ☒ 10% Owner
☒ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify below)
Chairman and CEO

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

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

MARYSVILLE, OH 43041

(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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		
Common Shares	08/23/2012		S		300	D	\$ 42.0701	124,945.694	D
Common Shares	08/23/2012		S		1,300	D	\$ 42.07	123,645.694	D
Common Shares	08/23/2012		S		500	D	\$ 42.088	123,145.694	D
Common Shares	08/23/2012		S		1,600	D	\$ 42.08	121,545.694	D
	08/23/2012		S		400	D		121,145.694	D

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Common Shares					\$ 42.1001			
Common Shares	08/23/2012	S	1,567	D	\$ 42.1	119,578.694	D	
Common Shares	08/23/2012	S	300	D	\$ 42.1201	119,278.694	D	
Common Shares	08/23/2012	S	2,100	D	\$ 42.12	117,178.694	D	
Common Shares	08/23/2012	S	1,101	D	\$ 42.18	116,077.694	D	
Common Shares	08/23/2012	S	300	D	\$ 42.1701	115,777.694	D	
Common Shares	08/23/2012	S	3,099	D	\$ 42.17	112,678.694	D	
Common Shares	08/23/2012	S	100	D	\$ 42.2001	112,578.694	D	
Common Shares	08/23/2012	S	800	D	\$ 42.2	111,778.694	D	
Common Shares	08/23/2012	S	200	D	\$ 42.205	111,578.694	D	
Common Shares	08/23/2012	S	100	D	\$ 42.1502	111,478.694	D	
Common Shares	08/23/2012	S	300	D	\$ 42.1501	111,178.694	D	
Common Shares	08/23/2012	S	2,068	D	\$ 42.15	109,110.694	D	
Common Shares	08/23/2012	S	1,121	D	\$ 42.14	107,989.694	D	
Common Shares	08/23/2012	S	100	D	\$ 42.1474	107,889.694	D	
Common Shares	08/23/2012	S	379	D	\$ 42.1401	107,510.694	D	
Common Shares	08/23/2012	S	1,233	D	\$ 42.11	106,277.694	D	
Common Shares						32,496.323	I	By 401(K) Plan
Common Shares						2,677,726	I	HPLP ⁽¹⁾
Common Shares						5,038.3145	I	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)

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. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repor Trans (Instr
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

Reporting Owners

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

Signatures

Kathy L. Uttley as attorney-in-fact for James Hagedorn
08/24/2012

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).

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 of the Issuer ("Common Shares"), to be the beneficial owner of the securities of (1) the Issuer that are held by 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.

Remarks:

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