

TRACTOR SUPPLY CO /DE/

Form 4

November 08, 2013

**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 \*  
Stanton Alexander L

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
TRACTOR SUPPLY CO /DE/  
[TSCO]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
200 POWELL PLACE  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
11/06/2013

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_\_\_X\_\_\_\_ Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
Senior VP Supply Chain

BRENTWOOD, TN 37027

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  
Person

(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)
Common stock	11/06/2013		M	V Amount (A) or (D) Price 12,000 A \$ 11.5413	53,136	D	
Common stock	11/06/2013		S	12,000 D \$ 71.6827	41,136 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	
Common stock					300 <sup>(1)</sup>	I	Stock Purchase Plan

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)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Amount or Number of Shares
Employee stock option	\$ 16.6038 (1)					03/30/2008 03/30/2016	Employee stock option 4,044 (1)
Employee stock option	\$ 16.6038 (1)					03/30/2009 03/30/2016	Employee stock option 6,022 (1)
Employee stock option	\$ 16.6038 (1)					03/30/2008 03/30/2016	Employee stock option 4,622 (1)
Employee stock option	\$ 16.6038 (1)					03/30/2009 03/30/2016	Employee stock option 7,312 (1)
Employee stock option	\$ 11.5413 (1)	11/06/2013		M	7,996	02/07/2009 02/07/2017	Employee stock option 7,996 (1)
Employee stock option	\$ 11.5413 (1)	11/06/2013		M	4,004	02/07/2010 02/07/2017	Employee stock option 4,004 (1)
Employee stock option	\$ 8.5588 (1)					02/04/2012 02/04/2019	Employee stock option 11,682 (1)
Employee stock option	\$ 13.1038 (1)					02/03/2011 02/03/2020	Employee stock option 11,516 (1)
Employee stock option	\$ 13.1038 (1)					02/03/2012 02/03/2020	Employee stock option 11,518 (1)
Employee stock	\$ 13.1038 (1)					02/03/2013 02/03/2020	Employee stock 11,518 (1)

option				option	
Employee stock option	\$ 25.8475 <u>(1)</u>	02/02/2012	02/02/2021	Employee stock option	7,252 <u>(1)</u>
Employee stock option	\$ 25.8475 <u>(1)</u>	02/02/2013	02/02/2021	Employee stock option	7,250 <u>(1)</u>
Employee stock option	\$ 25.8475 <u>(1)</u>	02/02/2014	02/02/2021	Employee stock option	7,250 <u>(1)</u>
Employee stock option	\$ 42.54 <u>(1)</u>	02/08/2013	02/08/2022	Employee stock option	6,338 <u>(1)</u>
Employee stock option	\$ 42.54 <u>(1)</u>	02/08/2014	02/08/2022	Employee stock option	6,338 <u>(1)</u>
Employee stock option	\$ 42.54 <u>(1)</u>	02/08/2015	02/08/2022	Employee stock option	6,338 <u>(1)</u>
Employee stock option	\$ 51.495 <u>(1)</u>	02/07/2014	02/07/2023	Employee stock option	7,978 <u>(1)</u>
Employee stock option	\$ 51.495 <u>(1)</u>	02/07/2015	02/07/2023	Employee stock option	7,978 <u>(1)</u>
Employee stock option	\$ 51.495 <u>(1)</u>	02/07/2016	02/07/2023	Employee stock option	7,976 <u>(1)</u>

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Stanton Alexander L 200 POWELL PLACE BRENTWOOD, TN 37027			Senior VP Supply Chain	

## Signatures

Alexander L. Stanton by: /s/ Kurt D. Barton, as  
Attorney-in-fact

11/08/2013

\_\_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) Exercise price and share amounts have been adjusted to reflect the 2-for-1 stock split that occurred on 9/26/2013.

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