SCOTTS MIRACLE-GRO CO

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See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **HAGEDORN JAMES**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Issuer

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Symbol

SCOTTS MIRACLE-GRO CO [SMG]

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

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

(Month/Day/Year)

C/O THE SCOTTS MIRACLE-GRO 02/01/2016 below) Chairman, President and CEO

COMPANY, 14111 SCOTTSLAWN

(Street)

ROAD

4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

MARYSVILLE, OH 43041

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

1.Title of

3.

4. Securities

5. Amount of Securities

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

Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year) TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)

Beneficially

Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A)

(Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amour Underlying Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Sh
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 31.86	07/19/2016		A	13,626 (1)	(2)	07/19/2026	Common Stock	13,6
Restricted Stock Units	(3)	07/19/2016		A	2,538	<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	2,5

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			

Lopez Hezron T. 855 EAST MAIN AVENUE P.O. BOX 302

SVP Legal Services,

Signatures

ZEELAND, MI 49464

By: Angela M. Shamery For: Hezron T. Lopez

07/21/2016

**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) Stock option granted based on the achievement of one-year performance objectives in FY16 which was approved in July 2015 by the Herman Miller, Inc. Board of Directors.
- (2) This grant vests in three equal annual installments beginning on the first anniversary of the grant date.
- (3) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of MLHR common stock.
- (4) The restricted stock units have a three year cliff vest.

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