

HAGEDORN JAMES  
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**FORM 4** UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

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 SCOTTS LAWN ROAD

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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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	02/25/2009		M		53,814	A	\$ 14.77	141,519	D	
Common Shares	02/25/2009		S		2,170	D	\$ 28	139,349	D	
Common Shares	02/25/2009		S		9,974	D	\$ 28.15	129,375	D	
Common Shares	02/25/2009		S		500	D	\$ 28.13	128,875	D	
	02/25/2009		S		900	D	\$ 28.11	127,975	D	

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Common Shares							
Common Shares	02/25/2009	S	200	D	\$ 28.09	127,775	D
Common Shares	02/25/2009	S	1,500	D	\$ 28.08	126,275	D
Common Shares	02/25/2009	S	300	D	\$ 28.07	125,975	D
Common Shares	02/25/2009	S	1,100	D	\$ 28.06	124,875	D
Common Shares	02/25/2009	S	1,000	D	\$ 28.16	123,875	D
Common Shares	02/25/2009	S	370	D	\$ 28.01	123,505	D
Common Shares	02/25/2009	S	500	D	\$ 28.12	123,005	D
Common Shares	02/25/2009	S	4,900	D	\$ 28.05	118,105	D
Common Shares	02/25/2009	S	200	D	\$ 28.26	117,905	D
Common Shares	02/25/2009	S	2,200	D	\$ 28.31	115,705	D
Common Shares	02/25/2009	S	10,100	D	\$ 28.1	105,605	D
Common Shares	02/25/2009	S	100	D	\$ 28.27	105,505	D
Common Shares	02/25/2009	S	400	D	\$ 28.17	105,105	D
Common Shares	02/25/2009	S	6,700	D	\$ 28.25	98,405	D
Common Shares	02/25/2009	S	300	D	\$ 28.245	98,105	D
Common Shares	02/25/2009	S	200	D	\$ 28.2375	97,905	D
Common Shares	02/25/2009	S	900	D	\$ 28.23	97,005	D
Common Shares	02/25/2009	S	600	D	\$ 28.21	96,405	D
Common Shares	02/25/2009	S	300	D	\$ 28.2	96,105	D
	02/25/2009	S	400	D	\$ 28.195	95,705	D

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Common Shares								
Common Shares	02/25/2009		S	100	D	\$ 28.1875	95,605	D
Common Shares	02/25/2009		S	200	D	\$ 28.185	95,405	D
Common Shares	02/25/2009		S	1,200	D	\$ 28.18	94,205	D
Common Shares	02/25/2009		S	700	D	\$ 28.22	93,505	D
Common Shares	02/25/2009		S	5,800	D	\$ 28.3	87,705	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)

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)	Amount or Number of Shares	
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
						Code	V	(A)	(D)
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 14.77	02/25/2009		M	53,814	03/05/2002	03/04/2009	Common Shares	53,814

## 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

02/27/2009

\_\_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).

### Remarks:

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