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(Print or Type R	esponses)										
SMITH SALLY J Symbol			r Name and Ticker or Trading EL FOODS CORP /DE/				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
(Last) 1 HORMEL	. , .		3. Date of (Month/D 06/30/20	-	ansaction			X Director Officer (give t below)		Owner r (specify	
			ndment, Date Original nth/Day/Year)				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person				
AUSTIN, M	N 55912							Form filed by M Person	ore than One Re	porting	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	rity (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if			3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)			d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock	06/30/2015			Code V A	Amount 13.97 (1)	(A) or (D) A	Price \$ 56.37	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	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)		of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3,	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 Secu Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
			Code V	4, and 5) (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Oth			
SMITH SALLY J 1 HORMEL PLACE AUSTIN, MN 55912	Х						
Signatures							
Sally J. Smith, by Power of Attorney		07/01/201	5				

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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Each share of phantom stock is the equivalent of one share of common stock. The shares of phantom stock become payable in common stock in one lump sum, or in up to ten annual installments, at the election of the reporting person, on February 15 of the year following

- termination of service as a director, or such later date as is elected by the reporting person. In addition, the shares of phantom stock become payable in common stock in one lump sum immediately upon a director's separation from service within six months following a change of control (as defined in the Plan).
- (2) Reflects additional phantom stock units received by the Reporting Person upon conversion of dividend equivalents from March 31, 2015 to the present.

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