SCOTTS MIRACLE-GRO CO

Form 4

September 19, 2014

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

SHERN STEPHANIE M

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

SCOTTS MIRACLE-GRO CO

[SMG]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Check all applicable)

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

C/O THE SCOTTS MIRACLE-GRO 09/17/2014 COMPANY, 14111 SCOTTSLAWN

(Middle)

(First)

ROAD

(Last)

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

3.

(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

D

Issuer

MARYSVILLE, OH 43041

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

TransactionAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

4. Securities

5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Securities Form: Direct Beneficially (D) or Owned Following (Instr. 4) Reported

Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4)

Indirect

(A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

2,000

Code V Amount (D) Price

Common Shares

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)	4. Transact Code (Instr. 8)	onof Derivative		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivativ Security (Instr. 5)
			Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Deferred Stock Units	<u>(1)</u>	09/17/2014	A	109		<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Shares	109	\$ 56.4
Deferred Stock Units	(1)	09/17/2014	A	85		(1)	<u>(1)</u>	Common Shares	85	\$ 56.4
Deferred Stock Units	(1)	09/17/2014	A	91		(1)	<u>(1)</u>	Common Shares	91	\$ 56.4
Deferred Stock Units	(1)	09/17/2014	A	93		(1)	<u>(1)</u>	Common Shares	93	\$ 56.4
Deferred Stock Units	(1)	09/17/2014	A	61		<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Shares	61	\$ 56.4
Deferred Stock Units	<u>(1)</u>	09/17/2014	A	41		<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Shares	41	\$ 56.4

Reporting Owners

**Signature of Reporting Person

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
SHERN STEPHANIE M C/O THE SCOTTS MIRACLE-GRO COMPANY 14111 SCOTTSLAWN ROAD MARYSVILLE, OH 43041	X					
Signatures						
Kathy L. Uttley as attorney-in-fact for Stephanie M. Shern		09/19/201	4			

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Date

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- * 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) Additional deferred stock units received pursuant to dividend equivalents as a result of dividends paid with respect to the common shares of The Scotts Miracle-Gro Company underlying deferred stock units already held.

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