#### SCOTTS MIRACLE-GRO CO

Form 4

December 12, 2014

#### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

Hanft Adam

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

SCOTTS MIRACLE-GRO CO [SMG]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

12/10/2014

X\_ Director Officer (give title

Issuer

below)

10% Owner Other (specify

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

(First)

(Middle)

ROAD

(Last)

(Street)

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

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 Security (Instr. 3)

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

Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

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

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Reported (A) Transaction(s)

Code V Amount (D) Price

(Instr. 3 and 4)

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber 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)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Deferred Stock Units	(1)	12/10/2014		A	20	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Shares	20	\$ 61.86
Deferred Stock Units	<u>(1)</u>	12/10/2014		A	3	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Shares	3	\$ 61.86
Deferred Stock Units	<u>(1)</u>	12/10/2014		A	2	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Shares	2	\$ 61.86
Deferred Stock Units	<u>(1)</u>	12/10/2014		A	2	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Shares	2	\$ 61.86
Deferred Stock Units	(1)	12/10/2014		A	2	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Shares	2	\$ 61.86
Deferred Stock Units	<u>(1)</u>	12/10/2014		A	15	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Shares	15	\$ 61.86
Deferred Stock Units	(1)	12/10/2014		A	2	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Shares	2	\$ 61.86
Deferred Stock Units	<u>(1)</u>	12/10/2014		A	2	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Shares	2	\$ 61.86
Deferred Stock Units	(1)	12/10/2014		A	2	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Shares	2	\$ 61.86
Deferred Stock Units	(1)	12/10/2014		A	2	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Shares	2	\$ 61.86
Deferred Stock	(1)	12/10/2014		A	16	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Shares	16	\$ 61.86

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# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
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Hanft Adam						
C/O THE SCOTTS MIRACLE-GRO COMPANY	X					
14111 SCOTTSLAWN ROAD	Λ					
MARYSVILLE, OH 43041						

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Date

# **Signatures**

Kathy L. Uttley as attorney-in-fact for Adam
Hanft

12/12/2014

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

# **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) 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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