TORO CO Form 4 March 03, 2016

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, obligations

Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

(Last)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * HOFFMAN MICHAEL J

(First)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

TORO CO [TTC]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

8111 LYNDALE AVENUE SOUTH 03/02/2016

(Middle)

_X__ Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

Issuer

Chairman & CEO

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

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BLOOMINGTON, MN 55420-1196

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Ta	ble I - Non	-Derivativ	e Secu	ırities Acqı	uired, Disposed o	f, or Benefici	ally Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit or Dispos (Instr. 3,	ed of (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)
Common Stock	03/02/2016		M	79,684	A	\$ 22.45	663,572.983 (1)	D	
Common Stock	03/02/2016		S	79,684	D	\$ 80.221 (2)	583,888.983	D	
Common Stock	03/02/2016		M	72,116	A	\$ 22.45	656,004.983	D	
Common Stock	03/02/2016		S	72,116	D	\$ 80.572 (3)	583,888.983	D	
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Common
Stock

Common Stock	124,960.318 (4)	I	Held by Michael J. Hoffman Irrevocable Lifetime Family Trust
Common Stock	67,766.975 (5)	I	The Toro Company Investment, Savings & ESOP

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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Derivative Expiration Date ecurities (Month/Day/Year) acquired (A) r Disposed of D) Instr. 3, 4,		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	\$ 22.45	03/02/2016		M	79,684	<u>(6)</u>	11/30/2016	Common Stock	79, c
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
HOFFMAN MICHAEL J 8111 LYNDALE AVENUE SOUTH BLOOMINGTON, MN 55420-1196	X		Chairman & CEO				

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/s/ Nancy A. McGrath, Attorney-In-Fact

03/03/2016

**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) Includes 1,542.571 shares of common stock acquired by the reporting person since the date of his last report under the dividend reinvestment feature of The Toro Company Direct Stock Purchase Plan (a "DRIP").
- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares of common stock were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$79.93 to \$80.35, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to the issuer, any security holder of the issuer, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in footnotes (2) and(3) to this Form 4.
- (3) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares of common stock were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$80.355 to \$81.22, inclusive.
- (4) Includes 544.631 shares of common stock acquired by the reporting person under a DRIP since the date of his last report.
- (5) Includes 294.927 net shares acquired by the reporting person since the date of his last report under the dividend reinvestment feature of The Toro Company Investment, Savings & ESOP less quarterly non-discretionary administrative fees.
- (6) The option vested in three equal annual installments commencing on the first anniversary of the date of grant, which was November 30, 2006.

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