HAGEDORN JAMES

Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **HAGEDORN JAMES**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

below)

SCOTTS MIRACLE-GRO CO

(Check all applicable)

Chief Executive Officer

[SMG]

(Last)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

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

(Month/Day/Year) 12/14/2005

C/O HAGEDORN PARTNERSHIP. L.P., 800 PORT WASHINGTON

(First)

BOULEVARD

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

(Instr. 8)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

PORT WASHINGTON, NY 11050

(Street)

(City) (State) (Zip) 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities Acquired Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 5. Amount of

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

(A)

Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Securities

Owned

Beneficially

Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)

(Instr. 4)

Code V Amount

(D) Price

See

Common Shares

Security

(Instr. 3)

12/14/2005

 $S^{(1)}$ 24,630 D

 $3,483,742 \stackrel{(2)}{=}$

footnotes (3)(4)

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

(Month/Day/Year)

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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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	onNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amoun	t of	Derivative	Deriv
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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
. 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
HAGEDORN JAMES							
C/O HAGEDORN PARTNERSHIP, L.P.	X	X	Chief Executive Officer				
800 PORT WASHINGTON BOULEVARD	Λ	Λ	Chief Executive Officer				
PORT WASHINGTON, NY 11050							

Signatures

/s/ Rob McMahon, 12/16/2005 Attorney-in-Fact

**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).
- Represents the sale for the account of James Hagedorn and certain family members of a portion of their proportionate interest in the **(1)** Issuer's common shares (the "Common Shares") held by the Hagedorn Partnership, L.P.
- The number of common shares has been adjusted to reflect the 2-for-1 stock split by The Scotts Company on November 9, 2005 to shareholders of record on November 2, 2005.
- Pursuant to Exchange Act Rule 16a-1(a)(1), the Reporting Person may be deemed, solely for purposes of determining whether he is a (3) beneficial owner of more than 10% of the Common Shares, to be the beneficial owner of the securities of the Issuer that are held by Hagedorn Partnership, L.P., a Delaware limited partnership in which the Reporting Person is a general partner.
- Represents the aggregate proportionate interest of James Hagedorn and those family members in whose holdings he may be deemed to have a pecuniary interest in the Common Shares held by Hagedorn Partnership, L.P.

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