

TORO CO

Form 4

March 15, 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**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Larson Thomas J

(Last) (First) (Middle)

8111 LYNDALE AVENUE SOUTH

(Street)

BLOOMINGTON, MN 55420-1196

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
TORO CO [TTC]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
03/11/2016

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_X\_ Officer (give title \_\_\_\_ Other (specify  
below) below)

VP, Corporate Controller

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  
Applicable Line)  
\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
\_\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting  
Person

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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	03/11/2016		M	V Amount (A) or (D) Price 1,000 A \$ 20.365	14,431.124 (1)	D	
Common Stock	03/11/2016		S	1,000 D \$ 82.344	13,431.124	D	
Common Stock	03/11/2016		M	2,000 A \$ 31.76	15,431.124	D	
Common Stock	03/11/2016		S	2,000 D \$ 82.29 (2)	13,431.124	D	
Performance Share Units					8,020.817 (3)	D	

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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number 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)			
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Non-Qualified Stock Option	\$ 20.365	03/11/2016		M		1,000		<u>(4)</u>	12/01/2019	Common Stock	1,000
Non-Qualified Stock Option	\$ 31.76	03/11/2016		M		2,000		<u>(5)</u>	12/08/2020	Common Stock	2,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
Larson Thomas J 8111 LYNDAL AVENUE SOUTH BLOOMINGTON, MN 55420-1196	VP, Corporate Controller

## Signatures

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

03/15/2016

\_\_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 12.184 shares of common stock acquired by the reporting person under the dividend reinvestment feature of The Toro Company Direct Stock Purchase Plan since the date of his last report.
- (2) 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 \$82.28 to \$82.34, 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

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price within the range set forth in this footnote.

- (3) Includes 34.983 performance share units acquired by the reporting person since the date of his last report under the dividend reinvestment feature of The Toro Company Deferred Compensation Plan for Officers.
- (4) The option vested in three equal annual installments commencing on the first anniversary of the date of grant, which was December 1, 2009.
- (5) The option vested in three equal annual installments commencing on the first anniversary of the date of grant, which was December 8, 2010.

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