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(Print or Type	e Responses)										
HAGEDORN JAMES Sym								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
			[SMG]					(Check all applicable)			
(Month				nth/Day/Year)				_X DirectorX 10% Owner _X Officer (give title Other (specify elow) below)			
	SCOTTS MIRAC		12/10/	2010				CEO a	and Chairman		
				Month/Day/Year) A				. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check applicable Line) X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting			
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Та	ble I - Nor	n-Derivative	Secur	ities Acquir	ed, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)		2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)				Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common Shares	12/10/2010			S <u>(1)</u>	85,729	D	\$ 50.51	3,059,685	Ι	See footnotes (2) (3)	
Common Shares	12/14/2010			А	127.625 (4)	A	\$ 50.748	67,168.5899	D		
Common Shares	12/14/2010			А	14.0886 (5)	А	\$ 50.5402	4,014.3728	I	By DSPP	
Common Shares								30,690.846	Ι	By 401(k)	

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Plan

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)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	of		ate	7. Titl Amou Under Securi (Instr.	unt of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
HAGEDORN JAMES C/O THE SCOTTS MIRACLE-GRO COMPANY 14111 SCOTTSLAWN ROAD MARYSVILLE, OH 43041	Х	Х	CEO and Chairman			

Signatures

/s/ Rob McMahon, Attorney-in-Fact 12/14/2010

**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) Represents the sale for the account of James Hagedorn of a portion of his proportionate interest in the Issuer's common shares (the "Common Shares") held by the Hagedorn Partnership, L.P.

Pursuant to Exchange Act Rule 16a-1(a)(1), the Reporting Person may be deemed, solely for purposes of determining whether he is a
(2) 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.

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(3) 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.

Reflects Common Shares represented by amount credited to the benchmark Company stock fund within the Reporting Person's
(4) bookkeeping account under The Scotts Company LLC Executive Retirement Plan as a result of the crediting of amounts calculated as if invested in the Company stock fund as a result of dividends paid with respect to Common Shares.

(5) Common Shares were acquired pursuant to the dividend reinvestment feature of The Scotts Miracle-Gro Company Discounted Stock Purchase Plan.

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