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subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue See Instruction 1(b).	Filed pu e. Section 17	rsuant to S	Estimated burden hou response	urs per								
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Johnson Stephen L Symbo				er Name <b>and</b> ΓS MIRA			-	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
(Last) C/O THE SCO COMPANY, 1 ROAD	TTS MIRAC			of Earliest T Day/Year) 2018	ransaction			X Director Officer (giv below)		% Owner her (specify		
				endment, Day/Yea	-	ıl		<ul> <li>6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check</li> <li>Applicable Line)</li> <li>_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person</li> </ul>				
MARYSVILL	E, OH 43041							Form filed by Person	More than One R	eporting		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	ole I - Non-I	Derivative	Secu	rities A	cquired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned		
	(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if		3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or Code V Amount (D) Price			) 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)	Indirect			
Reminder: Report	on a separate lin	e for each cl	ass of sec	urities benef	ficially ow	ned di	rectly c	or indirectly.				

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 Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

 (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

## **Reporting Owners**

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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)	tion Date, if TransactionNumber Code of		umber Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) erivative ecurities cquired A) or isposed f (D) nstr. 3,		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price Derivati Security (Instr. 5	
				Code	V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Dividend Equivalent Rights	<u>(1)</u>	06/08/2018		А		44	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Shares	44	\$ 87.0

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Johnson Stephen L C/O THE SCOTTS MIRACLE-GRO COMPANY 14111 SCOTTSLAWN ROAD MARYSVILLE, OH 43041	Х						
Signatures							
Kathy L. Uttley as attorney-in-fact for Stephen L. Johnson	06/12/2018						
**Signature of Reporting Person		Date					
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## Explanation of Responses:

If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v). \*

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The dividend equivalent rights accrued on DSU or RSU grants and become exercisable proportionately with the DSUs or RSUs to which (1) they relate. Each dividend equivalent right is the economic equivalent of one common share of the Issuer.

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