

SCOTTS MIRACLE-GRO CO  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
STUMP DENISE

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
SCOTTS MIRACLE-GRO CO  
[SMG]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

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

\_\_\_\_ Director  
 Officer (give title below)  
\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
EVP, Global Human Resources

C/O THE SCOTTS MIRACLE-GRO COMPANY, 14111 SCOTTS LAWN ROAD

(Street)

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

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

MARYSVILLE, OH 43041

(City) (State) (Zip)

**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 Ownership (Instr. 4)		
			Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price		
Common Shares	10/17/2013		M		26,893	A	\$ 35.74	51,642.4029	D
Common Shares	10/17/2013		S <sup>(1)</sup>		1,046	D	\$ 57	50,596.4029	D
Common Shares	10/17/2013		S <sup>(1)</sup>		500	D	\$ 57.005	50,096.4029	D
Common Shares	10/17/2013		S <sup>(1)</sup>		600	D	\$ 57.01	49,496.4029	D
	10/17/2013		S <sup>(1)</sup>		100	D	\$ 57.015	49,396.4029	D

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Common Shares								
Common Shares	10/17/2013	S <sup>(1)</sup>	300	D	\$ 57.02	49,096.4029	D	
Common Shares	10/17/2013	S <sup>(1)</sup>	300	D	\$ 57.025	48,796.4029	D	
Common Shares	10/17/2013	S <sup>(1)</sup>	700	D	\$ 57.03	48,096.4029	D	
Common Shares	10/17/2013	S <sup>(1)</sup>	200	D	\$ 57.04	47,896.4029	D	
Common Shares	10/17/2013	S <sup>(1)</sup>	1,909	D	\$ 57.05	45,987.4029	D	
Common Shares	10/17/2013	S <sup>(1)</sup>	100	D	\$ 57.055	45,887.4029	D	
Common Shares	10/17/2013	S <sup>(1)</sup>	100	D	\$ 57.0575	45,787.4029	D	
Common Shares	10/17/2013	S <sup>(1)</sup>	5,184	D	\$ 57.06	40,603.4029	D	
Common Shares	10/17/2013	S <sup>(1)</sup>	1,100	D	\$ 57.065	39,503.4029	D	
Common Shares	10/17/2013	S <sup>(1)</sup>	300	D	\$ 57.0667	39,203.4029	D	
Common Shares	10/17/2013	S <sup>(1)</sup>	2,500	D	\$ 57.07	36,703.4029	D	
Common Shares	10/17/2013	S <sup>(1)</sup>	300	D	\$ 57.0733	36,403.4029	D	
Common Shares	10/17/2013	S <sup>(1)</sup>	500	D	\$ 57.075	35,903.4029	D	
Common Shares	10/17/2013	S <sup>(1)</sup>	1,000	D	\$ 57.08	34,903.4029	D	
Common Shares	10/17/2013	S <sup>(1)</sup>	540	D	\$ 57.0874	34,363.4029	D	
Common Shares						1,485.6798	I	By DSPP

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)

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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)	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)	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 35.74	10/17/2013		M	26,893	10/12/2008 10/12/2015	Common Shares	26,893

## Reporting Owners

**Reporting Owner Name / Address**

**Relationships**

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

STUMP DENISE  
C/O THE SCOTTS MIRACLE-GRO COMPANY  
14111 SCOTTS LAWN ROAD  
MARYSVILLE, OH 43041

EVP, Global Human Resources

## Signatures

Kathy L. Uttley as attorney-in-fact for Denise S. Stump

10/21/2013

\_\_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) The sales reported in this Form 4 were made pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on August 20, 2013.

### Remarks:

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