

SCOTTS MIRACLE-GRO CO
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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 *
NAGEL CHRISTOPHER L

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)
C/O THE SCOTTS COMPANY, 14111 SCOTTS LAWN ROAD

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
10/12/2005

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
EVP and CFO

(Street)
MARYSVILLE, OH 43041

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)
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(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 Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)				Price
Common Shares	10/12/2005		A		2,600	A	\$ 0	3,300	D	
Common Shares							1,028.55 ⁽¹⁾	I		By Deferral Plan

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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)	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 85.01	10/12/2005		A	14,100	10/12/2008 10/12/2015	Common Shares	14,100

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
NAGEL CHRISTOPHER L C/O THE SCOTTS COMPANY 14111 SCOTTS LAWN ROAD MARYSVILLE, OH 43041			EVP and CFO	

Signatures

Kathy L. Uttley as attorney-in-fact for Christopher L. Nagel
 10/14/2005
 **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 common shares held in the reporting person's account under the Issuer's Executive Retirement Plan (the "Deferral Plan") a/o 9/30/05.

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