FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

<b>STATEMENT</b>	<b>OF CHANGES</b>	IN BENEFICIAL	<b>OWNERSHIP</b>

Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     HAGEDORN JAMES				suer Name <b>and</b> Tick OTTS MIRA				(Che	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  X Director X 10% Owner							
(Last) C/O THE SCOTTSI 14111 SCOTTSI			PANY		ate of Earliest Trans	action (	Month	/Day/Year)		X	Officer (give title Other (specify below)  Chairman and CEO					
(Street) MARYSVILLE	ОН	43041		4. If A	Amendment, Date o	of Origin	al File	d (Month/Day	Line)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
(City)	(State)	(Zip)														
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1. Title of Security (	instr. 3)		Date (Month/Day/	Execution Date, Tran		3. Transa Code ( 8)		4. Securities Disposed Of	(D) (Instr		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
						Code	٧	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)					
Common Shares			08/03/20	009		M		59,540	A	\$15.03	167,172.247	D				
Common Shares			08/03/20	009		S		7,000	D	\$39.75	160,172.247	D				
Common Shares			08/03/20	009		S		5,000	D	\$40.2	155,172.247	D				
Common Shares			08/03/20	009		S		7,000	D	\$40.1	148,172.247	D				
Common Shares			08/03/20	009		S		200	D	\$40.07	147,972.247	D				
Common Shares			08/03/20	009		S		1,000	D	\$40.06	146,972.247	D				
Common Shares			08/03/20	009		S		5,000	D	\$40	141,972.247	D				
Common Shares			08/03/20	009		S		3,000	D	\$39.6	138,972.247	D				
Common Shares			08/03/20	009		S		7,000	D	\$39.5	131,972.247	D				
Common Shares			08/03/20	009		S		100	D	\$39.47	131,872.247	D				
Common Shares			08/03/20	009		S		2,900	D	\$39.45	128,972.247	D				
Common Shares			08/03/20	009		S		300	D	\$39.26	128,672.247	D				
Common Shares			08/03/20	009		S		7,240	D	\$39.25	121,432.247	D				
Common Shares			08/03/20	009		S		13,800	D	\$40.05	107,632.247	D				
Common Shares			08/04/20	009		M		30,720	A	\$15.03	138,352.247	D				
Common Shares			08/04/20	009		S		4,500	D	\$40.1	133,852.247	D				
Common Shares			08/04/20	009		S		202	D	\$40.25	133,650.247	D				
Common Shares			08/04/20	009		S		100	D	\$40.01	133,550.247	D				
Common Shares			08/04/20	009		S		3,000	D	\$40.12	130,550.247	D				
Common Shares			08/04/20	009		S		9,618	D	\$40	120,932.247	D				
Common Shares			08/04/20	009		S		300	D	\$40.0675	120,632.247	D				
Common Shares			08/04/20	009		S		100	D	\$40.06	120,532.247	D				
Common Shares			08/04/20	009		S		500	D	\$40.11	120,032.247	D				
Common Shares			08/04/20	009		S		800	D	\$40.02	119,232.247	D				
Common Shares			08/04/20	009		S		11,600	D	\$40.05	107,632.247	D				
		Table II	08/04/20 - Derivati	009 ve S	ecurities Acqualls, warrants	s uired,		11,600 posed of, o	D or Ben	\$40.05	107,632.247					

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	A Demin Deriv Execution Date, if any (e.g., (Month/Day/Year)	ative Transa <b>Pulis</b> ( 8)	Secu licalls	Sec Acq (A) ( Disp of (I	urities uired	Lireat Drs Expiration D ,(MPHDES)	indଞ୍ଚିପ୍ରଫର୍ଖନ ate ⁄ୟେମvertil	or <sup>T</sup> Bendfictally of Securities நெடிந்து நெடிந்து Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		Ownice of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	(Monthibay/Tear)	(Month/Day/Year)	8)	msu.	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		-(монил <b>ь</b> ауляеат)		Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 5)	Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$15.03	08/03/2009		М			59,540	09/22/2002	09/21/2009	Common Shares	59,540	\$0	47,518	D	
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$15.03	08/04/2009		M			30,720	09/22/2002	09/21/2009	Common Shares	30,720	\$0	16,798	D	

**Explanation of Responses:** 

Kathy L. Uttley as attorney-infact for James Hagedorn

08/05/2009

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

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 $<sup>^{\</sup>star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).

<sup>\*\*</sup> Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

The undersigned officer and/or director of The Scotts Miracle-Gro Company (the "Company"), hereby constitutes and appoints each of Chris Crowder, James Turoff and Kathy L. Uttley, signing singly, the undersigned's true and lawful attorney-in-fact and agent to:

- 1) execute for, in the name of and on behalf of the undersigned Forms 3, 4 and 5 with respect to the securities of the Company beneficially owned by the undersigned in accordance with Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "1934 Act") and the rules and regulations thereunder and Form 144 with respect to the securities of the Company beneficially owned by the undersigned in accordance with Rule 144 under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "Securities Act");
- 2) do and perform any and all acts for, in the name of and on behalf of the undersigned which may be necessary or desirable to complete and execute any such Form 3, 4 or 5 or such Form 144, complete and execute any amendment or amendments thereto, and timely file any such form (and any such amendment or amendments) with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission and any stock exchange or similar authority; and
- 3) take any other action of any type whatsoever in connection with the foregoing which, in the opinion of such attorney-in-fact, may be of benefit to, in the best interest of, or legally required by, the undersigned, it being understood that the documents executed by such attorney-in-fact on behalf of the undersigned pursuant to this Power of Attorney shall be in such form and shall contain such terms and conditions as such attorney-in-fact may approve in such attorney-in-fact's discretion.

The undersigned hereby grants to each such attorney-in-fact full power and authority to do and perform each and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary or proper to be done in the exercise of any of the rights and powers herein granted, as fully to all intents and purposes as the undersigned might or could do if personally present, with full power of substitution and resubstitution, hereby ratifying and confirming all that such attorney-in-fact, or such attorney-in-fact's substitute or substitutes, shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue of this Power of Attorney and the rights and powers herein granted. The undersigned acknowledges that the above-named attorneys-in-fact, in serving in such capacity at the request of the undersigned, are not assuming, nor is the Company assuming, any of the undersigned's responsibilities to comply with Section 16 of the 1934 Act and/or Rule 144 under the Securities Act.

This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until the undersigned is no longer required to file Forms 3, 4 and 5 or Form 144 with respect to the undersigned's holdings of and transactions in securities issued by the Company, unless earlier revoked by the undersigned in a signed writing delivered to the above-named attorneys-in-fact.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of this 1st day of April, 2009.

/s/ James Hagedorn Signature

James Hagedorn Print Name