FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  HAGEDORN KATHERINE  LITTLEFIELD							Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SCOTTS COMPANY [ SMG ]      Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)									cable) or (give title	ig Per	son(s) to Iss 10% Ov Other (s	vner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 382 SPRING HILL ROAD					01/30/2004										below)			belowy		
(Street) SKILLMAN NJ 08558  (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Line) X	X Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting  Person					
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
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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/Yea	Date, T	Code (Ins				6. Date Exercisa Expiration Date (Month/Day/Yea			Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		3. Price of Derivative Security Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	e s ally g	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code		v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		xpiration ate	Title	Amor or Num of Share	ber						
Stock Option (Right to buy)	\$63.11	01/30/2004			A		6,000		07/30/2004	01	1/29/2014	Common Shares	6,00	00	\$0	23,500	)	D <sup>(1)</sup>		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Pursuant to Exchange Act Rule 16a-1(a)(1), the Reporting Person may be deemed, solely for purposes of determining whether she is a beneficial owner of more than 10% of the Issuer's common shares (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 each of the Reporting Persons is a general partner.

/s/ Rob McMahon, Attorneyin-Fact 02/03/2004

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- $^{\star}$  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).

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