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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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Issuer

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

SANDERSON FARMS INC

Symbol

[SAFM]

(Print or Type Responses)

RIGNEY TIM

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

(Last) (First) (Mic		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/29/2018					Director 10% OwnerX_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) Controller/Secretary			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
LAUREL, MS 39443								Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned						ally Owned			
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Day (Month/Day/Year) Execution any		Code (Instr. 8)		(A) or (D)	d of (D)	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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Stock	06/29/2018			A	12	A	105.15	8,337	D		
Common Stock	06/29/2018			A	3	A	\$ 0 (1)	8,340	D		
Common Stock	06/30/2018			F	6	D	\$ 105.15	8,334	D		
Common Stock								3,114.0096 (2)	I	Allocated to Reporting Person's Account in	

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Common Stock 33.0805 I By 401(k)

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)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	7. Titl Amou Under Secur (Instr.	int of rlying	8. Price o Derivativ Security (Instr. 5)
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

RIGNEY TIM

127 FLYNT ROAD Controller/Secretary

LAUREL, MS 39443

Signatures

/s/ Tim Rigney 07/03/2018

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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) Shares granted by the Issuer pursuant to the matching contribution provisions of the Issuer's Management Share Purchase Plan.
- (2) Reflects allocations not reported on the Reporting Person's previous ownership report.

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

Reporting Owners 2

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