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## FORM 4

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* Hanft Adam

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

SCOTTS MIRACLE-GRO CO

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 02/02/2018

\_X\_\_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify

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

(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 Form filed by More than One Reporting

MARYSVILLE, OH 43041

(City) (State) (Zip) 1 Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A Deemed

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)	Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D)  Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)  (Instr. 8)  Own  Foll  Rep		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	ecurities Form: Direct deneficially (D) or Owned Indirect (I) following (Instr. 4) deported			
Common			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Shares	02/02/2018		A	2,045	A	\$ 0	45,311	D	
Common Shares	02/02/2018		A	4,560	A	\$ 90.48 (1)	49,871	D	

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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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
. 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Hanft Adam C/O THE SCOTTS MIRACLE-GRO COMPANY 14111 SCOTTSLAWN ROAD MARYSVILLE, OH 43041	X					

### **Signatures**

Kathy L. Uttley as attorney-in-fact for Adam
Hanft
02/06/2018

\*\*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 Reporting Person was issued (i) 139 Deferred Stock Units in lieu of retainer in the amount of \$12,500 and (ii) 4,421.Restricted Stock Units pursuant to a consulting agreement in the amount of \$400,000.

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