

SCOTTS MIRACLE-GRO CO
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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Â SANDERS BARRY W
(Last) (First) (Middle)

2. Date of Event Requiring Statement

(Month/Day/Year)
01/25/2007

3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
SCOTTS MIRACLE-GRO CO [SMG]

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

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

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer Other
(give title below) (specify below)
EVP Global Tech and Operations

C/O THE SCOTTS
MIRACLE-GRO
COMPANY,Â 14111
SCOTTSLAWN ROAD
(Street)

MARYSVILLE,Â OHÂ 43041
(City) (State) (Zip)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common Shares	7,500	D	Â

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

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security	4. Conversion or Exercise	5. Ownership Form of	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	(Instr. 4) Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivative Security	Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	(Instr. 5)
Stock Option (right to buy)	11/07/2005	11/06/2012	Common Shares	10,000	\$ 23.925	D	Â
Stock Appreciation Right	11/19/2006	11/18/2013	Common Shares	24,000	\$ 29.08	D	Â
Stock Option (right to buy)	12/01/2007	12/01/2014	Common Shares	20,000	\$ 34.5	D	Â
Stock Option (right to buy)	10/12/2008	10/12/2015	Common Shares	22,600	\$ 42.505	D	Â
Performance Shares	Â <u>(1)</u>	04/01/2007	Common Shares	10,000	\$ <u>(1)</u>	D	Â
Stock Option (right to buy)	10/11/2009	10/11/2016	Common Shares	13,000	\$ 45.88	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SANDERS BARRY W C/O THE SCOTTS MIRACLE-GRO COMPANY 14111 SCOTTS LAWN ROAD MARYSVILLE, OH 43041	Â	Â	Â EVP Global Tech and Operations	Â

Signatures

Kathy L. Uttley as attorney-in-fact for Barry W. Sanders
Date: 01/31/2007

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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).
- Each performance share represents a contingent right to receive one common share of The Scotts Miracle-Gro Company. The (1) performance shares will vest on April 1, 2007 if Mr. Sanders has established FY06 and FY07 strategic goals and metrics for his Business Unit.

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