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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Stinson Mark B

(First)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(City)

TORO CO [TTC]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Director

10% Owner

8111 LYNDALE AVENUE SOUTH

(Middle)

(Zip)

(Month/Day/Year) 12/01/2009

Officer (give title __X_ Other (specify below) below)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

BLOOMINGTON, MN 55420-1196

(State)

(Street)

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year) 3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

Ownership Form: Direct Beneficial (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)

7. Nature of Indirect Ownership (Instr. 4)

(A)

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

Common

8.015 D

Common

Stock

Stock

957.945 (1) I The Toro Company Investment,

Savings & **ESOP**

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)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number proof Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8 I S (
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Option	\$ 40.73	12/01/2009		A	5,500	(2)	12/01/2019	Common Stock	5,500	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Stinson Mark B

8111 LYNDALE AVENUE SOUTH BLOOMINGTON, MN 55420-1196 GM, LCB- Exmark

Signatures

/s/ Amy E. Dahl, Attorney-in-Fact

12/03/2009

**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).
 - Includes the following shares of common stock acquired by the reporting person under the dividend reinvestment feature of The Toro

Company Investment, Savings & ESOP (IS&ESOP) since the date of his last report: 3.276 shares acquired on January 12, 2009, 5.463

- (1) shares acquired on April 13, 2009, 4.802 shares acquired on July 10, 2009, and 3.662 shares acquired on October 19, 2009. Also includes 163.857 shares acquired on March 5, 2009 through issuer contributions to the IS&ESOP and an account adjustment (rounding) of 0.045 shares of common stock on January 12, 2009.
- (2) The option vests in three equal annual installments commencing on the first anniversary of the date of grant.

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