# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

# FORM 8-K

## **CURRENT REPORT**

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): July 22, 2009

# THE TORO COMPANY

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware	1-8649	41-0580470			
(State of Incorporation)	(Commission File Number)	(I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)			
8111 Lyndale Avenue Sout	th				
Bloomington, Minnesota		55420			
(Address of principal executive of		(Zip Code)			
Registra	ant's telephone number, including area code: (952	2) 888-8801			
(For	Not Applicable mer name or former address, if changed since last	report.)			
Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K fil provisions:	ling is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing	g obligation of the registrant under any of the following			
[ ] Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 un	nder the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)				
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[ ] Pre-commencement communications pursuant to	Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR	240.14d-2(b))			
[ ] Pre-commencement communications pursuant to	Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR	240.13e-4(c))			

#### Section 7—Regulation FD

#### Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure.

On July 22, 2009, The Toro Company (the "Company") announced that its Board of Directors (the "Board") has authorized the repurchase of an additional five million (5,000,000) shares of the Company's common stock, par value \$1.00 per share ("Common Stock"), in the open market or in privately negotiated transactions. This program has no expiration date but may be terminated by the Board at any time. As of July 21, 2009, approximately 850,000 shares of Common Stock also remain available for repurchase by the Company under the repurchase authority previously approved by the Board on May 22, 2008.

Attached to this Current Report on Form 8-K as Exhibit 99.1 is a copy of the Company's press release in connection with the announcement, which is incorporated herein by reference. The information in this Item 7.01, including Exhibit 99.1 attached hereto, is furnished pursuant to Item 7.01 and shall not be deemed to be "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, nor shall it be deemed to be incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Exchange Act, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing.

#### Section 9—Financial Statements and Exhibits

#### Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

#### **Exhibit No. Description**

99.1 Press release dated July 22, 2009 (furnished herewith).

# SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

> THE TORO COMPANY (Registrant)

By <u>/s/ Stephen P. Wolfe</u> Stephen P. Wolfe Date: July 22, 2009

Vice President, Finance & Chief Financial Officer

# **EXHIBIT INDEX**

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For Immediate Release

## THE TORO COMPANY AUTHORIZES REPURCHASE OF ADDITIONAL 5 MILLION SHARES

BLOOMINGTON, Minn. (July 22, 2009) – The Toro Company (NYSE: TTC) today announced that its board of directors has authorized the repurchase of an additional 5 million shares of common stock in the open market or in privately negotiated transactions. As of July 21, 2009, approximately 850,000 common shares remained available under a previous authorization.

The company's continued strong cash flow enables it to return value to shareholders through dividends and share repurchases.

### **About The Toro Company**

The Toro Company (NYSE: TTC) is a leading worldwide provider of turf and landscape maintenance equipment, and precision irrigation systems. With sales of nearly \$1.9 billion in fiscal 2008, Toro's global presence extends to more than 140 countries through its reputation of world-class service, innovation and turf expertise. Since 1914, the company has built a tradition of excellence around a number of strong brands to help customers care for golf courses, sports fields, public green spaces, commercial and residential properties, and agricultural fields. More information is available at <a href="https://www.toro.com">www.toro.com</a>.

