FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  HOFFMAN MICHAEL J  |                                     |                      |         |          |   | 2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol TORO CO [ TTC ] |   |                |                             |   |   |            |  | 5. Relationship of Repor<br>(Check all applicable)<br>Director |  |  | J  | 10%   | Owner     |  |
|--|-------------------------------------|----------------------|---------|----------|---|--|---|----------------|-----------------------------|---|---|------------|--|--|--|--|--|---|-----------|--|
| (Last)<br>8111 LYI   | (Fir                                | st) (I<br>ENUE SOUTH | Middle) |          |   | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/07/2005        |   |                |                             |   |   |            |  | y  | X Officer (give title Other (sp below)  President & CEO  |  |  |   |           |  |
| (Street) BLOOMINGTON MN 55420-1196 (City) (State) (Zip)  |                                     |                      |         |          | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 12/08/2005 |  |   |                |                             |   |   |            | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person |  |  |  |  |   |           |  |
| (City)   | (5)                                 |                      | Zip)    | on Deriv | rative  | Soc  | uritio  | ς Λ <i>c</i> . | auirea                      | 4 Di  | enoced o  | f or B     | enefic   | vially   | v Owne   |  |  |   |           |  |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/   |                                     |                      |         | tion     | on 2A. Deemed Execution Date,                                       |  | 3.<br>Transa<br>Code (I<br>8)   | ction          | 4. Securities               | oosed of, or Beneficia<br>Securities Acquired (A) or<br>isposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and |   |            | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned Following  |  | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4)  |  | 7. Nature of<br>ndirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership                       |   |           |  |
|  |                                     |                      |         |          |   |  |   |                | Code                        | v   | Amount  | (A) or (D) | Price  |  | Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4)   |  |  |   | Instr. 4) |  |
| Common   | Stock                               |                      |         | 12/07/2  | 2005  | 05   |   |                | F                           |   | 12,407  | D          | \$41.  | 44   | 109,024.465  |  |  | D   |           |  |
| Performar  | Performance Share Units 44,406.2699 |                      |         |          |   |  |   | D              |                             |   |   |            |  |  |  |  |  |   |           |  |
| Common Stock   |                                     |                      |         |          |   |  |   |                |                             |   |   |            |  | 28,894   | 4.8883   |  | I I  | The Toro Company Investment, Savings & ESOP |           |  |
| 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.   |                                     |                      |         |          | ransaction<br>ode (Instr.   |  | 5. Number<br>of<br>Derivative<br>Securities<br>Acquired<br>(A) or<br>Disposed<br>of (D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4<br>and 5) |                | Exerc<br>tion Da<br>l/Day/Y |   | 7. Title and<br>Amount of<br>Securities<br>Underlying<br>Derivative<br>Security (Instr.<br>and 4) |            | De<br>Se<br>(Ir  | Price of<br>erivative<br>ecurity<br>nstr. 5)                   | 9. Number of<br>derivative<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 4) |  | 10.<br>Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4)       |           |  |
|  |                                     |                      | Code    | v        | (A)   | (D)  | Date<br>Exercis   | sable          | Expiration<br>Date          | Title   | or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares  |            |  |  |  |  |  |   |           |  |

**Explanation of Responses:** 

N. Jeanne Ryan, Atty-In-Fact 12/15/2005

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

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