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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] ETTINGER JEFFREY M | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>TORO CO</u> [TTC] | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner | | | | | | | | |
|--|--|---|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) 8111 LYNDALE AVENUE SOUTH | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/01/2013 | Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) | | | | | | | | |
| (Street) BLOOMINGTON MN 55420 (City) (State) (Zip) | 4. If Amendment, Date of 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 Person | | | | | | | | |
| Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned | | | | | | | | | | |

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| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | | | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported | (D) or Indirect | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership |
|---------------------------------|--|---|------------------|---|---|---------------|-------------------|---|-----------------|---|
| | | | Code | v | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | (Instr. 4) |
| Common Stock | 11/01/2013 | | A ⁽¹⁾ | | 875 | Α | \$ <mark>0</mark> | 9,513.978 ⁽²⁾ | D | |

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. Transa Code (8) | | of | | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4) | | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) | 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---|---|--|---|------------------------------|---|-------|-----|--|--------------------|--|--|---|--|--|--|
| | | | | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | 4 | | | |
| Non- Qualified Stock Option | \$58.46 | 11/01/2013 | | A ⁽³⁾ | | 2,552 | | 11/01/2014 ⁽⁴⁾ | 11/01/2023 | Common Stock | 2,552 | \$0 | 2,552 | D | |

Explanation of Responses:

1. Annual common stock award for service as a non-employee director issued under The Toro Company 2010 Equity and Incentive Plan, as amended (the "2010 Plan").

2. Includes 99.735 shares of common stock acquired by the reporting person under The Toro Company Dividend Reinvestment Plan since the date of his last report.

3. Annual option grant for service as a non-employee director issued under the 2010 Plan.

4. The option vests in three equal annual installments commencing on the first anniversary of the date of grant.

/s/ Nancy A. McGrath, attorney-in-fact

11/05/2013

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).

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