

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person
Meyer, Karen M.
8111 Lyndale Avenue South
Bloomington, MN 55420-1196
USA
2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
The Toro Company (TTC)
3. IRS or Social Security Number of Reporting Person (Voluntary)
4. Statement for Month/Year
10/14/2002
5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Day/Year)
6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)
() Director () 10% Owner
(X) Officer (give title below) () Other (specify below)
Vice Pres. Admn.
7. 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

1. Title of Security	2. Trans- action Date (Month/ Day/ Year)	3. Trans- action Code		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at End of Month	6. Owner- ship Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of In- direct Bene- ficial Owner- ship
		Code	V	Amount	A/D	Price			
Common Stock							3450	D	
Common Stock							4509.953	I	HELD BY ESOP TRUSTEE
Common Stock							-0	I	HELD BY MATCHING STOCK TRUSTEE 401(k) Plan
Common Stock							5154.3	I	
COMMON STOCK							0	D	
Common Stock Units	10/14/2002	A		11.504	A	\$57.4200	5516.22	D	
Matching Units	10/14/2002	A		5.752	A	\$57.4200		D	
Matching Units	10/14/2002	J		-1	D	\$0.0000	2758.067	D	
Performance Share Units	10/14/2002	A		37.663	A	\$57.4200	18059.394	D	

TABLE II -- Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.	8.	9.	10.	11.	
Title of Derivative Security	Deriv- ative Security	Transac- tion Date (Month/ Day/Year)	Transac- tion Code	Acquired(A) Disposed(D)	Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	Title of Underlying Securities	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivative Security	9.	10.	11.
									Number of Deriv- ative Secur- ities Benefi- cially Owned at End of Month	ity: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	Nature of Bene- ficial Owner- ship

Explanation of Responses:

These are additional units credited to the reporting person's account pursuant to a dividend reinvestment feature of The Toro Company Deferred Compensation Plan for Officers and earlier stock retention awards under the Annual Management Incentive Plan II.

Rounding adjustment to match records with the Trust.

These are additional units credited to the reporting person's account pursuant to a dividend reinvestment feature of The Toro Company Deferred Compensation Plan for Officers and participation in The Toro Company Performance Share Plan.

SIGNATURE OF REPORTING PERSON
/s/ N. Jeanne Ryan

DATE
10/16/2002

