WINGATE EDWIN H

Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * WINGATE EDWIN H

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

TORO CO [TTC]

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(City)

(Instr. 3)

(First)

(Middle)

(Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

X Director Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

8111 LYNDALE AVENUE SOUTH (Street)

11/01/2004

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

below)

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

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

below)

BLOOMINGTON, MN 55420-1196

(State)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Securities Beneficially (D) or Owned Following

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

(A) or

Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

Common

Stock Units

7,065.002 D

Common Stock

11/01/2004

150 (1) A A \$0 11,871 I By Trust

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

(Month/Day/Year)

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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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)		S (I
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Option	\$ 67.87	11/01/2004		A	2,000	11/01/2005	11/01/2014	Common Stock	2,000	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
WINGATE EDWIN H 8111 LYNDALE AVENUE SOUTH BLOOMINGTON, MN 55420-1196	X					

Signatures

N. Jeanne Ryan,
Atty-in-Fact

**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).
- (2) The stock option vests in three equal annual installments commencing 11/1/2005.
- (1) Directors Shares issued under The Toro Company Directors Stock Plan.

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