

Bass William
Form 4
April 29, 2011

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

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1(b).

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Bass William

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
TRACTOR SUPPLY CO /DE/
[TSCO]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O TRACTOR SUPPLY
COMPANY, 200 POWELL PLACE

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
04/27/2011

☒ Director ☐ 10% Owner
☐ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify below)

BRENTWOOD, TN 37027

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person
☐ Form filed by More than One Reporting
Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common stock	04/27/2011		A ⁽³⁾	V Amount (D) Price 1,309 A ⁽³⁾ \$ 61.09	3,659 ⁽¹⁾	D	

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

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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of 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)	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Non-qualified stock options	\$ 15.955 <u>(1)</u>					05/02/2008	01/11/2018	Common stock	7,000 <u>(1)</u>
Deferred stock units	\$ 15.955 <u>(1)</u>					05/02/2008	<u>(2)</u>	Common stock	1,254 <u>(1)</u>
Non-qualified stock options	\$ 18.2 <u>(1)</u>					05/01/2009	05/01/2018	Common stock	4,000 <u>(1)</u>
Deferred stock units	\$ 18.2 <u>(1)</u>					05/01/2009	<u>(2)</u>	Common stock	1,098 <u>(1)</u>

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Bass William C/O TRACTOR SUPPLY COMPANY 200 POWELL PLACE BRENTWOOD, TN 37027	X			

Signatures

William Bass by: /s/ Kurt D. Barton, as
Attorney-in-fact

04/29/2011

 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).

(1) Exercise price and shares have been adjusted to reflect the 2-for-1 stock split that occurred on September 3, 2010.

(2) Vested shares will be delivered to the reporting person one year following the date on which the reporting person's service as a director of the Company terminates.

Shares were acquired pursuant to a grant of restricted stock units (RSUs) under the Tractor Supply Company 2009 Stock Incentive Plan.

(3) Each RSU entitles the reporting person to receive one share of common stock. The RSUs vest at the end of the first anniversary date of the grant.

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