

Mills Robert D  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Mills Robert D

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
(Check all applicable)  
 Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
EVP Chief Technology Officer

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
C/O TRACTOR SUPPLY COMPANY, 5401 VIRGINIA WAY  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
04/11/2019

BRENTWOOD, TN 37027

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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(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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code	V	Amount	Price		
Common stock	04/11/2019		M <sup>(1)</sup>		9,002	\$ 83.11	29,676	D
Common stock	04/11/2019		S <sup>(1)</sup>		9,002	\$ 102.11	20,674	D
Common stock	04/11/2019		M <sup>(1)</sup>		17,857	\$ 86.08	38,531	D
Common stock	04/11/2019		S <sup>(1)</sup>		17,857	\$ 102.11	20,674	D
Common stock	04/11/2019		M <sup>(1)</sup>		5,670	\$ 73.18	26,344	D

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Common stock	04/11/2019		<u>S</u> <sup>(1)</sup>	5,670	<u>D</u> <sup>(1)</sup>	\$ 102.11	20,674	D	
Common stock							304	I	Stock Purchase Plan

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)

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)	Amount or Number of Shares	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee stock option	\$ 83.11	04/11/2019		M	9,002	<u>(2)</u> 02/04/2025	Common stock	9,002	
Employee stock option	\$ 86.08	04/11/2019		M	17,857	<u>(3)</u> 02/03/2026	Common stock	17,857	
Employee stock option	\$ 73.18	04/11/2019		M	5,670	<u>(4)</u> 02/08/2027	Common stock	5,670	

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Mills Robert D C/O TRACTOR SUPPLY COMPANY 5401 VIRGINIA WAY BRENTWOOD, TN 37027			EVP Chief Technology Officer	

## Signatures

Robert D. Mills by: /s/ Kristopher S. Bybee, as  
Attorney-in-fact

04/12/2019

\_\_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) This transaction was made pursuant to a 10b5-1 plan established by Mr. Mills on February 22, 2019.
- (2) Granted pursuant to the 2009 Stock Incentive Plan. In general, the shares subject to this option vested and became exercisable as follows: 33 1/3% on February 4, 2016, 33 1/3% on February 4, 2017, and 33 1/3% on February 4, 2018.
- (3) Granted pursuant to the 2009 Stock Incentive Plan. In general, the shares subject to this option vested and became exercisable as follows: 33 1/3% on February 3, 2017, 33 1/3% on February 3, 2018, and 33 1/3% on February 3, 2019.
- (4) Granted pursuant to the 2009 Stock Incentive Plan. In general, the shares subject to this option vested and became or will vest and become exercisable as follows: 33 1/3% on February 8, 2018, 33 1/3% on February 8, 2019, and 33 1/3% on February 8, 2020.

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