

PARRISH BENJAMIN F JR  
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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 \*  
PARRISH BENJAMIN F JR

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 General Counsel

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

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
08/16/2017

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				(A) or (D)	Price
Common stock	08/16/2017		G <sup>(1)</sup>			1,680	D <sup>(1)</sup>	\$ 0	12,213	D	
Common stock	08/16/2017		G <sup>(1)</sup>			2,971	D <sup>(1)</sup>	\$ 0	471	I	Stock Purchase Plan
Common stock	08/16/2017		G <sup>(1)</sup>			4,651	A <sup>(1)</sup>	\$ 0	14,651	I	Grantor Retained Annuity Trust
Common	02/05/2018		F <sup>(2)</sup>			478	D	\$	11,735	D	

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stock				(2)	69.21				
Common stock	02/07/2018		A(3)	5,213	A(3)	\$ 0	16,948	D	
Common stock							338	I	2013 Child Trust 1
Common stock							338	I	2013 Child Trust 2

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)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee stock option	\$ 67.28	02/07/2018		A	37,003	(4)	02/07/2028	Common stock	37,003

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
PARRISH BENJAMIN F JR C/O TRACTOR SUPPLY COMPANY 5401 VIRGINIA WAY BRENTWOOD, TN 37027			EVP General Counsel	

## Signatures

Benjamin F. Parrish Jr. by: /s/ Robert J. Volke, as Attorney-in-fact

02/07/2018

\_\_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) Shares transferred on the date indicated to a grantor retained annuity trust in which the reporting person has investment control.
- (2) This transaction represents the number of shares withheld to satisfy tax withholding liabilities incident to the lapse of vesting restrictions on the restricted stock units.
- (3) Shares were acquired pursuant to a grant of restricted stock units (RSUs) under the Tractor Supply Company 2009 Stock Incentive Plan. Each RSU entitles the reporting person to receive one share of common stock. The RSUs vest on the third anniversary of the grant date.
- (4) Granted pursuant to the Tractor Supply Company 2009 Stock Incentive Plan. In general, the shares subject to this option vest and become exercisable as follows: 33 1/3% on February 7, 2019, 33 1/3% on February 7, 2020 and 33 1/3% on February 7, 2021.

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