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# FORM 4

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1(b).

Performance

**Share Units** 

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person $\overset{*}{\underline{\ }}$ Larson Thomas J		Person <u>*</u>	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol TORO CO [TTC]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First) (Middle) 3.		3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Cheek an applicable)			
8111 LYNDALE AVENUE SOUTH		SOUTH	(Month/Day/Year) 12/28/2012	Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)  VP, Treasurer			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
BLOOMINGTON, MN 55420-1196			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting			

(City)	(State) (Z	ip) Table	I - Non-De	rivative S	ecurit	ties Acquir	ed, Disposed of,	or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securion(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	ed of (D)	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)
Common Stock	12/28/2012		M	4,000	A	\$ 20.365	16,713.836 (1)	D	
Common Stock	12/28/2012		F	2,614	D	\$ 42.007	14,099.836	D	
Common Stock							3,346.004 (2)	I	The Toro Company Investment, Savings &

**ESOP** 

2,006.547

(3)

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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	` '	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exerc Expiration Da (Month/Day/	ate	7. Title and Amour Underlying Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)	
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num

Code V (A) (D)

Non-Qualified Stock Option \$ 20.365 12/28/2012 M 4,000 12/01/2010 12/01/2019 Common Stock 4,0

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Larson Thomas J 8111 LYNDALE AVENUE SOUTH BLOOMINGTON, MN 55420-1196

VP, Treasurer

# **Signatures**

/s/ Nancy A. McGrath, Attorney-in-Fact

01/02/2013

\*\*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).
- Includes 13.296 shares of common stock acquired by the reporting person since the date of his last report under The Toro Company
  Dividend Reinvestment Plan (the "DRIP") on 4,078.275 shares of restricted stock and related DRIP shares. The restricted stock and all related DRIP shares vest in full on the third anniversary of the date of grant, which was March 30, 2011. Also includes 10.26 shares of common stock acquired by the reporting person under the DRIP on shares not subject to restriction since the date of his last report.
- (2) Includes 10.906 shares of common stock acquired by the reporting person under the dividend reinvestment feature of The Toro Company Investment, Savings & ESOP since the date of his last report.
- (3) Includes 6.547 performance share units acquired by the reporting person under the dividend reinvestment feature of The Toro Company Deferred Compensation Plan for Officers since the date of his last report.

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