Instruction 1(b).

FORM 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* KELTY MICHAEL P						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SCOTTS MIRACLE-GRO CO [SMG]									5. Relationship of Reporting Pers (Check all applicable) Director				10% Ow	/ner
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O THE SCOTTS COMPANY 14111 SCOTTSLAWN ROAD						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/12/2005									X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Vice Chairman and EVP					pecity
(Street) MARYSVILLE OH 43041					_ 4.	If Ame	Amendment, Date of C			Original Filed (Month/I			ay/Year)						o Filing (Check Applicable Reporting Person re than One Reporting	
(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)																	
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																				
Date						2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transa Code (i		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5)			I (A) or . 3, 4 aı	nd	Securitie Beneficia Owned F	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following		: Direct r Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
									Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price)	Reported Transact (Instr. 3 a	ion(s)			(Instr. 4)
Common Shares					08/12/2005						15,00	0	A	\$35.75		46,	6,382		D	
Common Shares				08/12/2005		5			S		2,600		D	\$78.65		43,782			D	
Common Shares				08/12/2005		5			S		2,500)	D	\$78.58		41,	41,282		D	
Common Shares				08/12/2005		5			S		800		D	\$78.55		40,	40,482		D	
Common Shares				08/12/2005		5			S		400		D	\$78.56		40,082			D	
Common Shares				08/12/2005		5			S		300		D	\$78.57		39,782			D	
Common Shares				08/1	08/12/2005				S		5,000)	D	\$78.5		34,782			D	
Common Shares				08/12/2005		5			S		500		D	\$78.7		34,282		D		
Common Shares				08/1	08/12/2005				S		2,900		D	\$78.75		31,382		D		
Common Shares																8,127			I	Spouse
		-	Table II -								osed of, onverti					wned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Day	d Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number 6		6. Date Ex	. Date Exercise xpiration Date Month/Day/Yea		7. Ti of S Und Deri	7. Title and Am of Securities Underlying Derivative Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)		nt 8 D S (I	s. Price of Derivative Security Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4)	lly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisab		Expiration Date	Title		Amour or Numbe of Shares	er					
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$35.75	95.75 08/12/2005			М			15,000	09/22/200	9/22/2002 09/21/20			ommon Shares 15,0		0	\$0 0.00			D	

Explanation of Responses:

Kathy L. Uttley as attorney-infact for Michael P. Kelty

08/16/2005

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

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^{*} 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).

Know all by these presents, that the undersigned officer and/or director of The Scotts Company (the "Company"), hereby constitutes and appoints each of David M. Aronowitz, Kathy L. Uttley and A. Sue Hughes, signing singly, the undersigned's true and lawful attorney-in-fact to:

- 1) execute for and on behalf of the undersigned Forms 3, 4 and 5 with respect to the securities of the Company beneficially owned by the undersigned in accordance with Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the "1934 Act") and the rules and regulations thereunder (and Form 144 with respect to the securities of the Company beneficially owned by the undersigned in accordance with Rule 144 under the Securities Act of 1933 (the "Securities Act"));
- 2) do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of the undersigned which may be necessary or desirable to complete and execute any such Form 3, 4 or 5 (or Form 144), complete and execute any amendment or amendments thereto, and timely file any such form with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission and any stock exchange or similar authority; and
- 3) take any other action of any type whatsoever in connection with the foregoing which, in the opinion of such attorney-in-fact, may be of benefit to, in the best interest of, or legally required by, the undersigned, it being understood that the documents executed by such attorney-in-fact on behalf of the undersigned pursuant to this Power of Attorney shall be in such form and shall contain such terms and conditions as such attorney-in-fact may approve in such attorney-in-fact's discretion.

The undersigned hereby grants to each such attorney-in-fact full power and authority to do and perform each and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary or proper to be done in the exercise of any of the rights and powers herein granted, as fully to all intents and purposes as the undersigned might or could do if personally present, with full power of substitution or resubstitution, hereby ratifying and confirming all that such attorney-in-fact, or such attorney-in-fact's substitute or substitutes, shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue of this Power of Attorney and the rights and powers herein granted. The undersigned acknowledges that the above-named attorneys-in-fact, in serving in such capacity at the request of the undersigned, are not assuming, nor is the Company assuming, any of the undersigned's responsibilities to comply with Section 16 of the 1934 Act and/or Rule 144 under the Securities Act.

This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until the undersigned is no longer required to file Forms 3, 4 and 5 (or Form 144) with respect to the undersigned's holdings of and transactions in securities issued by the Company, unless earlier revoked by the undersigned in a signed writing delivered to the above-named attorneys-in-fact.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of this 23rd day of April, 2002.

/s/ Michael P. Kelty Signature

Michael P. Kelty Print Name