SANDERSON FARMS INC

Form 4

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FORM 4

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

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Issuer

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

SANDERSON FARMS INC

Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction

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Symbol

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

1(b).

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(Last) 127 FLYN7			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/30/2016					DirectorX Officer (giv below)			
				endment, Da nth/Day/Year	_	ıl		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
LAUREL, N	MS 39443							Form filed by l Person	More than One R	eporting	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	le I - Non-L	Derivative	Secui	rities Acq	uired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Day/Yea	r) Executio any	med in Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securion(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	ispose	d 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	09/30/2016			A	13	A	\$ 96.33	5,946	D		
Common Stock	09/30/2016			A	3	A	\$ 0 (1)	5,949	D		
Common Stock								2,757 <u>(2)</u>	I	Allocated to Reporting Person's Account in Issuer ESOP	

Common Stock 35.13 I By 401(k) 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)

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

RIGNEY TIM 127 FLYNT ROAD LAUREL, MS 39443

Controller/Secretary

Signatures

/s/ D. Michael Cockrell, Attorney-in-Fact

**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 granted by the Issuer pursuant to the matching contribution provisions of the Issuer's Management Share Purchase Plan.
- (2) Reflects the balance in the Reporting Person's ESOP account as of the date of filing of this report and corrects an error in the balance shown on his last ownership report.

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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