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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading FORD TIMOTHY A Issuer Symbol TORO CO [TTC] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify 8111 LYNDALE AVENUE SOUTH 12/21/2005 below) **Executive Vice President** (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

#### BLOOMINGTON, MN 55420-1196

(City)	(State) (Zi	Table 1	I - Non-De	rivative Se	curiti	es 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. Securit cor Dispos (Instr. 3, 4			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)	(III3ti. 4)	
Common Stock	12/21/2005		M	32,000	A	\$ 11.8125	57,683	D	
Common Stock	12/21/2005		M	6,196	A	\$ 16.1375	63,879	D	
Common Stock	12/21/2005		S	32,000	D	\$ 42.7075	31,879	D	
Performance Share Units							12,909	D	
Common Stock							880.1115	I	The Toro Company

Person

Investment.

Savings & ESOP

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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)			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
Stock Option	\$ 11.8125	12/21/2005		M	3	32,000	12/04/2001	12/04/2011	Common Stock	32,000
Stock Option	\$ 16.1375	12/21/2005		M		6,196	12/04/2002	12/04/2012	Common Stock	6,196

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

FORD TIMOTHY A 8111 LYNDALE AVENUE SOUTH BLOOMINGTON, MN 55420-1196

**Executive Vice President** 

### **Signatures**

N. Jeanne Ryan, Atty-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).

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