#### TRACTOR SUPPLY CO /DE/

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** 

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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 SCARLETT JOSEPH H JR Issuer Symbol TRACTOR SUPPLY CO /DE/ (Check all applicable) [TSCO] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction \_X\_ Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) 200 POWELL PLACE 07/27/2005 Chairman of the Board (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 BRENTWOOD, TN 37027 Person

(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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	(A) or		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	05/20/2005		J	51,410	D	\$ 42.795	4,880,858	D	
Common Stock	05/20/2005		J	51,410	A	\$ 42.795	51,410	I	Scarlett Family Foundation
Common Stock	07/27/2005		S	5,141	D	\$ 54.8435	5,141	I	Scarlett Family Foundation
Common Stock							104,616	I	401(k) Plan

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 $\label{thm:convergence} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \end{tabular}$ 

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. oriNumber 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	\$ 9.7975					01/24/2003	01/24/2007	Common stock	66,666 (1)
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Employee stock option	\$ 9.7975					01/24/2005	01/24/2007	Common stock	66,667 (1)
Employee stock option	\$ 21.605					01/23/2004	01/23/2008	Common stock	33,333
Employee stock option	\$ 21.605					01/23/2005	01/23/2008	Common stock	33,333 (1)
Employee stock option	\$ 21.605					01/23/2006	01/23/2008	Common stock	33,334 (1)
Employee stock option	\$ 46.915					01/22/2005	01/22/2009	Common stock	16,666 (1)
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Employee stock option	\$ 46.915	01/22/2007	01/22/2009	Common stock	16,667 (1)
Employee stock option	\$ 40.0345	02/02/2007	02/02/2010	Common stock	12,500
Employee stock option	\$ 40.0345	02/02/2008	02/02/2010	Common stock	12,500
Employee stock option	\$ 40.0345	02/02/2009	02/02/2010	Common stock	12,500
Employee stock option	\$ 40.0345	02/02/2010	02/02/2010	Common	12,500

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
SCARLETT JOSEPH H JR 200 POWELL PLACE	X		Chairman of the Board				
BRENTWOOD, TN 37027							

## **Signatures**

Joseph H. Scarlett, Jr. by: /s/ Kolin B. Holladay, as
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) Number of shares is rounded to the nearest whole number.

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