SCOTTS MIRACLE-GRO CO Form 3 September 19, 2006 FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549 OMB

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> Evans David C		2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year)	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SCOTTS MIRACLE-GRO CO [SMG]				
(Last) (First)	(Middle)	09/14/2006	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			 5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person 	
C/O THE SCOTTS MIRACLE-GRO COMPANY, 14111 SCOTTSLAWN ROAD (Street) MARYSVILLE, OH 43041			(Check all applicable) (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner Officer Other (give title below) (specify below) EVP and CFO		Owner		
(City) (State)	(Zip)	Table I - N	Non-Derivati	ve Securiti		ficially Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 4)		2. Amount of Beneficially (Instr. 4)	f Securities Owned	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)		e of Indirect Beneficial nip	
Common Shares		3,000		D	Â		
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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security	2. Date Exercisable and	3. Title and Amount of	4.	5.	6. Nature of Indirect
(Instr. 4)	Expiration Date	Securities Underlying	Conversion	Ownership	Beneficial
	(Month/Day/Year)	Derivative Security	or Exercise	Form of	Ownership

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	(Instr. 4) Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivative Security	Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	(Instr. 5)
Stock Appreciation Right	11/19/2006	11/18/2013	Common Shares	24,000	\$ 29.08	D	Â
Stock Option (right to buy)	12/01/2007	12/01/2014	Common Shares	20,000	\$ 34.5	D	Â
Stock Option (right to buy)	10/12/2008	10/12/2015	Common Shares	15,800	\$ 42.505	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationships				
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Evans David C C/O THE SCOTTS MIRACLE-GRO COMPANY 14111 SCOTTSLAWN ROAD MARYSVILLE, OH 43041	Â	Â	EVP and CFO	Â		
Signatures						
Kathy L. Uttley as attorney-in-fact for David C. Evans	09/19/2006					
**Signature of Reporting Person		Date				
Explanation of Responses:						

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(b)(v).

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