

TYSON FOODS INC
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**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Calaway Curt

(Last) (First) (Middle)
2200 DON TYSON PARKWAY
(Street)

SPRINGDALE, AR 72762

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
TYSON FOODS INC [TSN]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
12/15/2015

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

___ Director ___ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)
SVP Controller & CAO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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)			
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Class A Common Stock	12/15/2015		J ⁽¹⁾		45.257	A	\$ 0	17,300.504 (2)	D	
Class A Common Stock	12/17/2015		J ⁽¹⁾		4.2	A	\$ 0	17,304.704 (2)	D	
Class A Common Stock	02/11/2016		J ⁽³⁾		195.1211	A	\$ 0	2,160.2662	I	Employee Stock Purchase Plan
	02/18/2016		M		1,200	A	\$ 4.9		D	

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Class A Common Stock						18,504.704 <u>(2)</u>	
Class A Common Stock	02/18/2016		M	6,000	A	\$ 24,504.704 16.19 <u>(2)</u>	D
Class A Common Stock	02/18/2016		M	6,000	A	\$ 30,504.704 19.63 <u>(2)</u>	D
Class A Common Stock	02/18/2016		S	13,200	D	\$ 17,304.704 62.47 <u>(4)</u>	D

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)

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)	5. Number 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 Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	
Non-Qualified Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 4.9	02/18/2016		M	1,200	11/14/2010 11/14/2018	Class A Common Stock	1,200	
Non-Qualified Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 16.19	02/18/2016		M	6,000	11/29/2011 11/29/2020	Class A Common Stock	6,000	
Non-Qualified Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 19.63	02/18/2016		M	6,000	11/28/2012 11/28/2021	Class A Common Stock	6,000	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Calaway Curt 2200 DON TYSON PARKWAY SPRINGDALE, AR 72762			SVP Controller & CAO	

Signatures

/s/ Curt Calaway 02/19/2016

__Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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) Represents shares of the Issuer's Class A Common Stock received by the Reporting Person pursuant to the Issuer's dividend reinvestment plan since the last Statement of Changes in Beneficial Ownership was filed by the Reporting Person. Such acquisitions are exempt from Section 16 concurrent reporting requirements pursuant to Rule 16a-11.
 - (2) Includes 1,504.2 shares of Class A Common Stock which vest on December 1, 2018 if the performance metrics described in the applicable Stock Incentive Agreement are achieved
 - (3) Represents shares of the Issuer's Class A Common Stock purchased for the Reporting Person's account under the Issuer's Employee Stock Purchase Plan since the last Statement of Changes in Beneficial Ownership was filed by the Reporting Person. Such acquisitions are exempt from Section 16 concurrent reporting requirements pursuant to Rule 16b-3.
 - (4) This is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions on February 18, 2016 at prices ranging from \$62.41 to \$62.599, inclusive. The Reporting Person undertakes to provide to the Issuer, any security holder of the Issuer, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within this range.

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