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# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, DC 20549

## FORM 4

### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

o Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

iee Instruction I(b).
. Name and Address of Reporting Person* (Last, First, Middle) 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Frading Symbol 3. I.R.S. Identification Number of Reporting Person, if an entity (Voluntary) Scarlett, Jr., Joseph , H.
Tractor Supply Company (TSCO)
320 Plus Park Blvd.

4. Statement for Month/Day/Year 5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Day/Year) 05/02/2003

(Street) 6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s)

to Issuer (Check All Applicable) 7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing

(Check Applicable Line) Nashville, TN 37217

(City) (State) (Zip) X Director O 10% Owner X Form filed by One Reporting Person X Officer (give title below) O

Form filed by More than One Reporting Person O Other (specify below) Chief Exec. Officer

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly. \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see instruction 4(b)(v).

#### 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** 

Transactions(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

Common Stock 5/2/03 34,800 D 43.4277 S 2,855,384

Common Stock 52,308 I 401(k) Plan

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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)

Code V	(A) (D)
Employee Stock Option	19.595 (2)
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# Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned - Continued (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date

(Month/Day/Year) 7. Title and Amount

of Underlying Securities

(Instr. 3 and 4) 8. Price of Derivative

Security

(Instr. 5) 9. Number of Derivative

**Securities Beneficially Owned** 

Following Reported Transaction(s)

(Instr. 4) 10. Ownership Form of

**Derivative Security:** 

 $Direct \ (D) \ or \ Indirect \ (I)$ 

(Instr. 4) 11. Nature of

Indirect

Beneficial

Ownership

(Instr. 4)

Date

**Exercisable Expiration** 

Date Title Amount or

Number of

Shares

1/24/03 1/24/07	Common stock 33,333 (1)	33,333 (1)	D
1/24/04 1/24/07	Common stock 33,333 (1)	33,333 (1)	D
1/24/05 1/24/07	Common stock 33,334 (1)	33,334 (1)	D
1/23/04 1/23/08	Common stock 16,666 (1)	16,666 (1)	D
1/23/05 1/23/08	Common stock 16,666 (1)	16,666 (1)	D
1/23/06 1/23/08	Common stock 16,667 (1)	16,667 (1)	D

### **Explanation of Responses:**

- (1) Fractional shares are rounded to the nearest whole number
- (2) Exercise price reflects 110% of the fair value on date of grant, due to ownership position.

Joseph H. Scarlett, Jr.

by: /s/ David C. Lewis, as Attorney-in-fact 5/2/2003

**Signature of	Reporting	Person
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Date

\*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. *See* 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a). 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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