

Braun Clifford
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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 *
Braun Clifford

(Last) (First) (Middle)

2021 SPRING RD, SUITE 600

(Street)

OAK BROOK, IL 60523

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
TreeHouse Foods, Inc. [THS]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
03/29/2019

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, Chief Operations Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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 Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|---|
| | | | Code | V | Amount or Price | | | |
| Common Stock | 03/29/2019 | | M ⁽¹⁾ | | 2,380 | A | \$ 0 2,380 | D |
| Common Stock | 03/29/2019 | | F ⁽²⁾ | | 698 | D | \$ 64.55 1,682 | D |
| Common Stock | 03/31/2019 | | M ⁽¹⁾ | | 596 | A | \$ 0 2,278 | D |
| Common Stock | 03/31/2019 | | F ⁽²⁾ | | 175 | D | \$ 64.55 2,103 | 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 of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|----------------------------|
| Restricted Stock Unit | (3) | 03/29/2019 | | A | 5,530 | (4) (4) | Common Stock | 5,530 |
| Restricted Stock Unit | (3) | 03/29/2019 | | M ⁽¹⁾ | 2,380 | (5) (5) | Common Stock | 2,380 |
| Restricted Stock Unit | (3) | 03/31/2019 | | M ⁽¹⁾ | 596 | (6) (6) | Common Stock | 596 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|-------------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Braun Clifford 2021 SPRING RD SUITE 600 OAK BROOK, IL 60523 | | | SVP, Chief Operations Officer | |

Signatures

Thomas E. O'Neill, by power of attorney
04/02/2019
**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) Settlement of restricted stock units into shares of common stock.
- (2) Shares withheld to satisfy minimum tax withholding requirements upon vesting of restricted stock units.
- (3) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of common stock of TreeHouse Foods, Inc.

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- (4) The restricted stock units vest and settle in stock or cash in three approximately equal installments on each of the first three anniversaries of the grant date.
- (5) The grant date of the restricted stock units is March 29, 2018. The restricted stock units vest and settle in stock or cash in three approximately equal installments on each of the first three anniversaries of the grant date.
- (6) The grant date of the restricted stock units is March 31, 2017. The restricted stock units vest and settle in stock or cash in three approximately equal installments on each of the first three anniversaries of the grant date.

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