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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Rodier Richard W

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

TORO CO [TTC]

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Director 10% Owner

(Month/Day/Year) 8111 LYNDALE AVENUE SOUTH

(Month/Day/Year)

12/03/2008

__X_ Other (specify Officer (give title below)

General Manager, LCB

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

below)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

BLOOMINGTON, MN 55420-1196

(Street)

(City) (State) (Zip) 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

Ownership Form: Direct Beneficial (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)

7. Nature of Indirect Ownership (Instr. 4)

(A)

Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

Common Stock

Code V Amount (D) Price

3,385 D

> The Toro Company

Common Stock

6,941.758 (1) I

Investment, Savings & **ESOP**

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. Transactic 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)		8 II S (
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Option	\$ 28.62	12/03/2008		A	5,000	(2)	12/03/2018	Common Stock	5,000	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Rodier Richard W 8111 LYNDALE AVENUE SOUTH BLOOMINGTON, MN 55420-1196

General Manager, LCB

Signatures

Stacy L. Bogart -Atty-in-Fact 12/05/2008

**Signature of Reporting Person Da

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).
- Includes the following shares of common stock acquired by the reporting person under the dividend reinvestment feature of The Toro Company Investment, Savings & ESOP (IS&ESOP): 24.812 shares acquired on April 11, 2008, 33.172 shares acquired on July 11, 2008, and 32.271 shares acquired on October 17, 2008. Also includes 45.542 shares of common stock acquired by the reporting person through individual and issuer matching contributions to the IS&ESOP and account adjustment (rounding) of 1.144 shares of common stock.
- (2) The option vests in three equal annual installments commencing on the first anniversary of the date of grant.

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