

TRACTOR SUPPLY CO /DE/  
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**FORM 4**

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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 \*  
JONES GERARD E

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
TRACTOR SUPPLY CO /DE/  
[TSCO]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
02/23/2006

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

C/O TRACTOR SUPPLY COMPANY, 200 POWELL PLACE

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

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

BRENTWOOD, TN 37027

(City) (State) (Zip)

**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
Common Stock	02/23/2006		M		9,000	A		\$ 6.9341
					17,000	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)**

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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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	
Non-Qualified stock option	\$ 6.6875	02/23/2006		M	3,000	04/22/2002	04/22/2009	Common stock	3,000
Non-Qualified stock option	\$ 3.3574	02/23/2006		M	2,000	01/25/2004	01/25/2011	Common stock	2,000
Non-Qualified stock option	\$ 8.9075	02/23/2006		M	2,000	01/24/2004	01/24/2012	Common stock	2,000
Non-Qualified stock option	\$ 8.9075	02/23/2006		M	2,000	01/24/2005	01/24/2012	Common stock	2,000
Non-Qualified stock option	\$ 19.64					01/23/2004	01/23/2013	Common stock	1,000
Non-Qualified stock option	\$ 19.64					01/23/2005	01/23/2013	Common stock	1,000
Non-Qualified stock option	\$ 19.64					01/23/2006	01/23/2013	Common stock	1,000
Non-Qualified stock option	\$ 42.65					01/22/2005	01/22/2014	Common stock	666
Non-Qualified stock option	\$ 42.65					01/22/2006	01/22/2014	Common stock	667
Non-Qualified stock option	\$ 42.65					01/22/2007	01/22/2014	Common stock	667
Non-Qualified stock option	\$ 36.395					02/02/2007	02/02/2015	Common stock	500
Non-Qualified stock option	\$ 36.395					02/02/2008	02/02/2015	Common stock	500
Non-Qualified stock option	\$ 36.395					02/02/2009	02/02/2015	Common stock	500
Non-Qualified stock option	\$ 36.395					02/02/2010	02/02/2015	Common stock	500

# Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
JONES GERARD E C/O TRACTOR SUPPLY COMPANY 200 POWELL PLACE BRENTWOOD, TN 37027	X			

## Signatures

Gerard E. Jones By: /s/ David C. Lewis, as Attorney-in-Fact	03/31/2006
**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) Fractional shares are rounded to the nearest whole number.

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