HORMEL FOODS CORP /DE/

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

SECURITIES

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

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may continue. See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

BINDER STEVEN G

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

| BINDER STEVEN G | | HORMEL FOODS CORP /DE/ [HRL] | | | | | (Check all applicable) | | | | |
|---|--|------------------------------|---|--|--------------------------|--------|------------------------|--|--|---|--|
| (Last) (First) (Mic | | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/06/2015 | | | | | Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) | | | |
| (Street) AUSTIN, MN 55912 | | | | endment, I onth/Day/Ye | Oate Origin ar) | al | | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | |
| (City) | (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Dat (Month/Day/Year) | | Date, if | 3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) | omr Dispos (Instr. 3, | sed of | | 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) | |
| Common Stock | 10/06/2015 | | | S | 10,000 | D | \$ 64.849 | 61,866.661 | I | Spouse's Revocable Trust | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | 5,727.388 | D | | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | 95,000 | I | GRAT | |
| Reminder: Re | port on a separate li | ne for each c | lass of sec | urities bene | eficially ov | ned d | irectly or ir | ndirectly. | | | |
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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 | 2. Conversion | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | | 4. Transacti | 5. orNumber | 6. Date Exerc Expiration D | | 7. Titl | | 8. Price of Derivative | 9. Nu Deriv |
|------------------------|---|--------------------------------------|----------------------|--------------------|--|-------------------------------|--------------------|---------|--|------------------------|---|
| Security (Instr. 3) | or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | (Month Day/Tear) | any (Month/Day/Year) | Code (Instr. 8) | of (Month/Day/Year) Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | | | Under | rlying | Security (Instr. 5) | Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr |
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

BINDER STEVEN G 1 HORMEL PLACE AUSTIN, MN 55912

Executive Vice President

Signatures

Steven G. Binder, by Power of Attorney

10/06/2015

**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).

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