#### HORMEL FOODS CORP /DE/

Form 4

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### FORM 4

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1. Name and A Forbes Glen	Symbol	HORMEL FOODS CORP /DE/				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)			
(Last) 1 HORMEL		iddle) 3. Date of (Month/D	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/01/2017			_X_ Director Officer (gives)		6 Owner er (specify	
	4. If Ame	4. If Amendment, Date Original				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
AUSTIN, M	7:)	Filed(Month/Day/Year)  Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acc				Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person  quired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned			
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Common Stock	02/01/2017		A	4,492 (1)	A	\$0	50,074.176	D	

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	ofNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			Amou Under Securi (Instr.	rlying	Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
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## **Reporting Owners**

Relationships						
Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
X						
		Director 10% Owner	Director 10% Owner Officer			

### **Signatures**

Glenn S. Forbes, By Power of
Attorney

\*\*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) Common Stock vests 100% on the earlier of (1) the day before the date of the following annual stockholders meeting, or (2) the following February 1.

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