

TYSON FOODS INC
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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *		2. Date of Event Requiring Statement	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	
Â Roetzel Michael		(Month/Day/Year)	TYSON FOODS INC [TSN]	
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	11/20/2015	
2200 DON TYSON PARKWAY		4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)
(Street)		(Check all applicable)		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
SPRINGDALE,Â ARÂ 72762		<input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other (give title below) (specify below)		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person
(City)	(State)	(Zip)		

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Class A Common Stock	902	I	Employee Stock Purchase Plan
Class A Common Stock	9,168 ⁽¹⁾	D	Â

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

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Non-Qualified Stock Options (Right to Buy)	11/28/2012 ⁽²⁾	11/28/2021	Class A Common Stock	4,000	\$ 19.63	D	Â
Non-Qualified Stock Options (Right to Buy)	11/26/2013 ⁽²⁾	11/26/2022	Class A Common Stock	2,666	\$ 19.36	D	Â
Non-Qualified Stock Options (Right to Buy)	11/22/2014 ⁽²⁾	11/22/2023	Class A Common Stock	36,300	\$ 31.82	D	Â
Non-Qualified Stock Options (Right to Buy)	11/21/2015 ⁽²⁾	11/21/2024	Class A Common Stock	44,967	\$ 42.26	D	Â
Performance Shares	11/28/2016 ⁽³⁾	11/28/2016 ⁽³⁾	Class A Common Stock	6,625	\$ ⁽³⁾	D	Â
Performance Shares	11/27/2017 ⁽⁴⁾	11/27/2017 ⁽⁴⁾	Class A Common Stock	7,102	\$ ⁽⁴⁾	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Roetzel Michael 2200 DON TYSON PARKWAY SPRINGDALE, AR 72762	Â	Â	Â EVP, Operations Services	Â

Signatures

Michel Roetzel 11/24/2015

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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 4,519 shares of restricted Class A Common Stock awarded pursuant to the Tyson Foods, Inc. 2000 Stock Incentive Plan
- (1) scheduled to vest on November 22, 2016. Also includes 4,181 shares of restricted Class A Common Stock awarded pursuant to the Tyson Foods, Inc. 2000 Stock Incentive Plan scheduled to vest on November 21, 2017.
- (2) The stock options vest at 33 1/3% on the first anniversary date of the grant and 33 1/3% for each of the following two years.
- (3) Award of Class A Common Stock which vests on the fourth business day following the filing of the Issuer's Annual Report on Form 10-K for its 2016 fiscal year if the performance metrics described in the applicable Stock Incentive Agreement (the Incentive Agreement) are achieved. The performance metrics are achievement of a three year (fiscal 2014-2016) cumulative EBIT target as set forth in the Incentive Agreement. If the performance metrics are not achieved, the award expires.

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- (4) Award of Class A Common Stock which vests on the fourth business day following the filing of the Issuer's Annual Report on Form 10-K for its 2017 fiscal year if the performance metrics described in the applicable Stock Incentive Agreement (the Incentive Agreement) are achieved. The performance metrics are achievement of a three year (fiscal 2015-2017) cumulative EBIT target as set forth in the Incentive Agreement. If the performance metrics are not achieved, the award expires.

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