TreeHouse Foods, Inc. Form 4 September 08, 2014

# FORM 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** WALSH HARRY J	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)			
	TreeHouse Foods, Inc. [THS]				
(Last) (First) (Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction				
2021 SPRING ROAD, SUITE 600	(Month/Day/Year) 09/04/2014	Director 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (specify below)  Executive Vice President			
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
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OAK BROOK, IL 60523		Person			

(City)	(State)	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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)		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	09/04/2014		M(1)	9,300	A	\$ 0	157,821	D	
Common Stock	09/04/2014		S	9,300	D	\$ 81.5289 (2)	148,521	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)

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 on Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4,	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	and 5)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amour or Number of Shares
Non-qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 29.65	09/04/2014		M(1)	9,300	<u>(1)</u>	06/28/2015	Common Stock	9,300

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

WALSH HARRY J 2021 SPRING ROAD SUITE 600 OAK BROOK, IL 60523

**Executive Vice President** 

# **Signatures**

/s/Thomas E. O'Neill, as attorney-in-fact

09/08/2014

\*\*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).
- The stock options were granted in 2005, vested in three approximately equal installments on each of the first three anniversaries of the grant date and are nearing the expiration of their ten year term. The stock options expire on June 28, 2015.
- The price reported in Column 4 is an average weighted price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$81.50 to \$81.96, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to TreeHouse Foods, Inc., any security holder of TreeHouse Foods, Inc., or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in this footnote.

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