

TreeHouse Foods, Inc.  
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# FORM 4

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Kahler Erik Thomas

(Last) (First) (Middle)

2021 SPRING ROAD, SUITE 600

(Street)

OAK BROOK, IL 60523

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
TreeHouse Foods, Inc. [THS]

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

06/26/2016

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

Sr VP-Corporate Development

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

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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**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 or Price		
Common Stock	06/26/2016		M <sup>(1)</sup>		637 A \$ 0	20,183	D
Common Stock	06/26/2016		F <sup>(2)</sup>		199 D \$ 97.33	19,984	D
Common Stock	06/27/2016		M <sup>(1)</sup>		613 A \$ 0	20,597	D
Common Stock	06/27/2016		F <sup>(2)</sup>		191 D \$ 98.28	20,406	D
Common Stock	06/27/2016		M <sup>(1)</sup>		690 A \$ 0	21,096	D

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Common Stock	06/27/2016	F <sup>(2)</sup>	215	D	\$ 98.28	20,881	D
Common Stock	06/27/2016	A <sup>(3)</sup>	4,035	A	\$ 0	24,916	D
Common Stock	06/27/2016	F <sup>(4)</sup>	1,759	D	\$ 98.28	23,157	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 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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
					(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	
Restricted Stock Unit	<u>(5)</u>	06/27/2016		A	1,770		<u>(6)</u>	<u>(6)</u>	Common Stock 1,770
Non-qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 98.28	06/27/2016		A	8,670		<u>(7)</u>	<u>(7)</u>	Common Stock 8,670
Restricted Stock Unit	<u>(5)</u>	06/26/2016		M <sup>(1)</sup>		637	<u>(6)</u>	<u>(6)</u>	Common Stock 637
Restricted Stock Unit	<u>(5)</u>	06/27/2016		M <sup>(1)</sup>		613	<u>(6)</u>	<u>(6)</u>	Common Stock 613
Restricted Stock Unit	<u>(5)</u>	06/27/2016		M <sup>(1)</sup>		690	<u>(6)</u>	<u>(6)</u>	Common Stock 690

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Kahler Erik Thomas 2021 SPRING ROAD			Sr VP-Corporate Development	

SUITE 600  
OAK BROOK, IL 60523

## Signatures

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

06/28/2016

\_\_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) Settlement of restricted stock units into shares of common stock.
- (2) Shares withheld to satisfy minimum tax withholding requirements upon vesting of restricted stock units.
- (3) Settlement of non-derivative performance units for the performance period ended December 31, 2015, granted under the TreeHouse Equity and Incentive Plan and exempt from liability under Section 16(b) of the Securities Exchange Act pursuant to Rule 16b-3(d).
- (4) Shares withheld by the Issuer to satisfy minimum tax withholding requirements.
- (5) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of common stock of TreeHouse Foods, Inc.
- (6) The restricted stock units vest and settle in stock or cash in three approximately equal installments on each of the first three anniversaries of the grant date.
- (7) The stock options have a ten-year term and will vest in three approximately equal installments on each of the first three anniversaries of the grant date.

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