NAKASONE ROBERT

Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * NAKASONE ROBERT			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol HORMEL FOODS CORP /DE/ [HRL]]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) 1 HORMEI	, ,	Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/26/2018			1	-	X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)			
AUSTIN, N	Filed(Month/Day/Year)				- -	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)	Tab	le I - Non-l	Derivativ	e Secu	rities Acqu	ired, Disposed of,	or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	e 2A. Deen Execution any (Month/D	Date, if	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	omr Dispo (Instr. 3,	sed of 4 and (A) or		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	11/26/2018			S	5,000	D	\$ 45.5049 (1)	106,681.07	D		
Common Stock	11/26/2018			S	4,034	D	\$ 45.7	102,647.07	D		
Common								11.065		-	

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

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1. Title of Derivative	2.	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		4.	5. onNumber	6. Date Exerc		7. Titl		8. Price of Derivative	9. Nu Deriv
Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Tear)	any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	of			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					
reporting owner runner runners	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
NAKASONE ROBERT 1 HORMEL PLACE AUSTIN, MN 55912-3680	X					

Signatures

Robert C. Nakasone, by Power of Attorney 11/27/2018

**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).

Reflects the weighted average price of 5,000 shares of common stock of Hormel Foods Corporation sold by the reporting person in multiple transactions on November 26, 2018 with sale prices ranging from \$45.5000 to \$45.5110 per share. The reporting person undertakes to provide upon request by the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission staff, the issuer, or a security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.

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