TreeHouse Foods, Inc. Form 4 March 04, 2014

# FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. See Instruction

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** REED SAM K			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol TreeHouse Foods, Inc. [THS]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)		
2021 SPRING	ROAD, SU	ITE 600	(Month/Day/Year) 03/03/2014	_X_ Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)  CEO, Chairman of the Board		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)		
OAK BROOK,	, IL 60523			_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	le I - Non-E	Derivative S	Securi	ities Acqu	iired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)			5. Amount of 6. Securities Ownership Beneficially Form: Directory Owned (D) or Following Indirect (I) Reported (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(IIIsti. 1)	
Common Stock	03/03/2014		M(1)	20,000	A	\$ 29.65	20,000	D	
Common Stock	03/03/2014		S <u>(1)</u>	20,000	D	\$ 70	0	D	
Common Stock							48,518	I	Held by Spouse's GRATs.
Common Stock							542,653	I	In Trust.

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 onDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day/	ate	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securiti
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numl of Sh
Non-qualified Options (right to buy)	\$ 29.65	03/03/2014		M(1)	20,000	<u>(3)</u>	06/28/2015	Common Stock	20,0

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

REED SAM K 2021 SPRING ROAD SUITE 600 OAK BROOK, IL 60523

X

CEO, Chairman of the Board

### **Signatures**

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

03/04/2014

\*\*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).
- (1) Options exercised and underlying shares sold pursuant to a pre-established 10b5-1 trading plan.
- (2) Held by Sam K. Reed 2008 Trust & Victoria P. Reed 2008 Trust, as Tenants in Common.
- (3) The stock options have a ten year term and vested in three approximately equal installments on each of the first three anniversaries of the grant date.

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