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FORM 4

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

4. If Amendment, Date Original

(Month/Day/Year)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

03/29/2019

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **Braun Clifford** Symbol TreeHouse Foods, Inc. [THS]

(Last) (First) (Middle)

(Street)

2021 SPRING RD, SUITE 600

OAK BROOK, IL 60523

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) SVP, Chief Operations Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3 | y | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8) (A) or | | | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
|-------------------------------------|-----|---|---|--------------|--------|-----|--|--|---|--|
| a | | | | Code V | Amount | (D) | Price | (Instr. 3 and 4) | | |
| Comm Stock | non | 03/29/2019 | | M <u>(1)</u> | 2,380 | A | \$ 0 | 2,380 | D | |
| Comm Stock | non | 03/29/2019 | | F(2) | 698 | D | \$ 64.55 | 1,682 | D | |
| Comm Stock | non | 03/31/2019 | | M(1) | 596 | A | \$ 0 | 2,278 | D | |
| Comm | non | 03/31/2019 | | F(2) | 175 | D | \$ 64.55 | 2,103 | 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 Owne | d |
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| (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) | |

| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Expr Exercise ar Price of (Month/Day/Year) Exprise of (Month/Day/Year) | | 4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of inDerivative 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) | |
|---|---|--|--|--|---|-------|--|--------------------|---|--|
| | | | | Code V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Restricted Stock Unit | (3) | 03/29/2019 | | A | 5,530 | | <u>(4)</u> | <u>(4)</u> | Common Stock | 5,530 |
| Restricted Stock Unit | (3) | 03/29/2019 | | M <u>(1)</u> | | 2,380 | <u>(5)</u> | <u>(5)</u> | Common Stock | 2,380 |
| Restricted Stock Unit | <u>(3)</u> | 03/31/2019 | | M(1) | | 596 | <u>(6)</u> | <u>(6)</u> | Common Stock | 596 |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Braun Clifford 2021 SPRING RD SUITE 600 OAK BROOK, IL 60523

SVP, Chief Operations Officer

Signatures

Thomas E. O'Neill, by power of attorney

04/02/2019

**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) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of common stock of TreeHouse Foods, Inc.

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- (4) 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.
- (5) The grant date of the restricted stock units is March 29, 2018. 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.
- (6) The grant date of the restricted stock units is March 31, 2017. 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.

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