

HORMEL FOODS CORP /DE/  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**BINDER STEVEN G**

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) (First) (Middle)  
**1 HORMEL PLACE**  
  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
**05/29/2015**

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
**Executive Vice President**

**AUSTIN, MN 55912**  
  
(City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**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	(D)	Price	
Common Stock	05/29/2015		M		30,000	A	\$ 19.355 35,704.14	D
Common Stock	05/29/2015		F		9,976	D	\$ 58.2 25,728.14	D
Common Stock	05/29/2015		F		9,652	D	\$ 58.2 16,076.14	D
Common Stock	05/29/2015		G	V	10,372	D	\$ 0 5,704.14	D
Common Stock	05/29/2015		G	V	10,372	A	\$ 0 70,613.661	I Spouse's Revocable Trust



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- (1) The option vested in four equal annual installments, with the first group vesting on December 5, 2007.

Reflects the weighted average price of 10,000 shares of common stock of Hormel Foods Corporation sold by the reporting person in multiple transactions on June 2, 2015 with sale prices ranging from \$56.35 to \$56.74 per share. The reporting person undertakes to

- (2) 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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