FORM 3

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

## INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Ellis Gary Lee	2. Date of Event Requiring Stater (Month/Day/Yea 06/26/2006	nent r	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol TORO CO [ TTC ]									
(Last) (First) (Middle)  MEDTRONIC, INC.			Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)     X Director 10% Owner			5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)						
710 MEDTRONIC PARKWAY NE	_			Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below)		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
(Street) MINNEAPOLIS MN 55432-5604  (City) (State) (Zip)	-						X		y One Reporting Person y More than One erson			
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned												
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)				2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)  3. Ownership Form: Direct or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)		hip ect (D)						
Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)												
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	Expiration D	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Secur Underlying Derivative Secur		4. Conve	ercise	5. Ownership Form:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)			
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title		Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivative Security		Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)				

**Explanation of Responses:** 

No securities are beneficially owned.

N. Jeanne Ryan, Attorney-in-

**Fact** 

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

06/28/2006

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

- $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5 (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).

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POWER OF ATTORNEY

KNOW ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS, that the undersigned hereby constitutes and appoints each of J. Lawrence McIntyre and N. Jeanne Ryan, signing singly, true and lawful attorneys in-fact relative to the filings identified below in connection with the undersigned's derivative and non-derivative securities of The Toro Company (TTC) to:

- (1) execute for and on behalf of the undersigned Forms 3, 4 and 5 in accordance with Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the rules thereunder:
- (2) do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of the undersigned which may be necessary or desirable to complete the execution of any such Form 3, 4 and 5 and the timely filing of such form with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission and any stock exchange or similar authority; and
- (3) take any other action of any type whatsoever in connection with the foregoing which, in the opinion of such attorney-in-fact, may be of benefit to, in the best interest of, or legally required by, the undersigned, it being understood that the documents executed by such attorney-in-fact on behalf of the undersigned pursuant to this Power of Attorney shall be in such form and shall contain such terms and conditions as such attorney-in-fact may approve in either of their discretion. The undersigned hereby grants to each such attorney-in-fact full power and authority to do and perform all and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary and proper to be done in the exercise of any of the rights and powers herein granted, as fully to all intents and purposes as such attorney-in-fact might or could do if personally present, with full power of substitution or revocation, hereby ratifying and confirming all that each such attorney-in-fact, or any substitute or substitutes, shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue of this power of attorney and the rights and powers herein granted.

The undersigned acknowledges that the foregoing attorneys-in-fact, in serving in such capacity at the request of the undersigned, are not assuming any of the undersigned's responsibilities to comply with Section 16 of the Securities Exchange act of 1934.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of this 23rd day of June 2006, and said Power shall remain in effect until revoked by the undersigned in writing, or at such time as the undersigned is no longer a director of The Toro Company, whichever first occurs.

/s/ Gary L. Ellis

Director