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

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 OR 15(d) of The Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): May 22, 2023

THE TORO COMPANY

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

1-8649 (Commission File Number) **41-0580470** (IRS Employer Identification No.)

8111 Lyndale Avenue South Bloomington, Minnesota (Address of principal executive offices)

55420 (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (952) 888-8801

Not Applicable

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report.)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

□ Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)

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□ Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))

□ Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

Title of each class	Trading Symbol(s)	Name of each exchange on which registered
Common Stock, par value \$1.00 per share	TTC	New York Stock Exchange

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§ 230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§ 240.12b-2 of this chapter).

Emerging growth company \Box

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.

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Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

On May 22, 2023, Jeffrey M. Ettinger, a director of The Toro Company ("TTC"), notified TTC of his resignation as a member of the Board of Directors (the "Board"), effective as of May 23, 2023. Mr. Ettinger's resignation was in connection with his acceptance of the position of Interim President of the University of Minnesota and not the result of any disagreement with TTC on any matter relating to TTC's operations, policies or practices.

TTC expresses its deep appreciation and very best wishes to Mr. Ettinger. During his 13 years of TTC Board service, Mr. Ettinger contributed greatly to TTC through his strong business acumen, significant executive leadership attributes and relevant experience of driving growth through innovation and strategic acquisitions. As an experienced public-company director and former executive, his knowledge of public company requirements and issues, particularly related to corporate governance and executive compensation matters, contributed meaningfully to TTC.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit No.Description104Cover Page Interactive Data File (embedded within the Inline XBRL document)

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

THE TORO COMPANY (Registrant)

Date: May 23, 2023

By: /s/ Amy E. Dahl

Amy E. Dahl Vice President, International, General Counsel and Corporate Secretary