FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Ty	pe Response	s)															
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* PENNINGTON BROOKS III				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CENTRAL GARDEN & PET CO [CENT]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) _X_ Director 10% Owner				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1280 ATLANTA HIGHWAY				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/29/2005							/Year)		X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) Pres. & CEO - Pennington Seed				
(Street)				4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)							/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
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(City	")	(State)	(Zip)			T	able I	- Non	-Deri	ivative S	Securities	Acqui	red, Disp	osed of, or I	Beneficially	Owned	
(Instr. 3)		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		f Code (Instr. 8)		ction	tion 4. Securities Acqu (A) or Disposed o (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		of (D) Beneficia		ally Owned Following I Transaction(s)			7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
					C	ode	V	Amoun	(A) or (D)	Price	te e			(I) (Instr. 4)	(mour i)		
Common	Stock		06/29/2005				S	s <u>(4)</u>		400	D	\$ 50	292,029			D	
Common	Stock												67,040			I	By L.P.
Common Stock												6,938		I	By Spouse		
Common	Stock												7,604			I	By LLC
Reminder:	Report on a s	separate line for	r each class of secur	ities b	eneficia	lly o	wned		Perse conta	ons wh	o respoi	m are	not requ	ction of inf nired to res OMB cont	spond unle	ess	1474 (9-02)
			Table II - I								of, or Ben tible secu		ly Owned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) Price of Derivative Security Security		(Month/Day/Year) any		4. te, if Transaction Code Year) (Instr. 8)		5. Number of an (M Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Da and I (Mon	Date Exercisable and Expiration Date Month/Day/Year) ate Expiration		7. Ti Amo Undo Secu (Inst 4)	ttle and bunt of erlying prities r. 3 and	Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	Owners Form of Derivat Securit Direct or India	Beneficia ive Ownersh y: (Instr. 4)	
					Code	V	(A)	(D)	Exer	cisable	Date	Title	of Shares				

Reporting Owners

	Relationships							
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
PENNINGTON BROOKS III 1280 ATLANTA HIGHWAY MADISON, GA 30650			Pres. & CEO - Pennington Seed					

Signatures

/s/ By Stacey Cook, as Attorney-in-Fact for Brooks M. Pennington III	07/01/2005	
**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) By BPCB Partners L.P. The general managing partner of BPCB Partners L.P. is BPCB Management Company LLC ("BPCBLLC"), and Mr. Pennington is the sole member of BPCBLLC. Mr. Pennington disclaims beneficial ownership of the reported securities except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
- (2) Mr. Pennington disclaims beneficial ownership of 6,938 shares of the Issuer's common stock owned by his spouse.
- (3) By Pennington Management Company II, LLC, in which Mr. Pennington has an ownership interest. Mr. Pennington is the President of Pennington Management Company II, LLC. Mr. Pennington disclaims beneficial ownership of the reported securities except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
- (4) Transaction effected under sales plan pursuant to Rule 10b5-1(c)(1) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.

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