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As filed with the Secutities and Exchange Commission on February 29, 2012 Registration No. 333-10699

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

Post-Effective Amendment No. 1 to

FORM S-8

REGISTRATION STATEMENT UNDER
THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933

Tractor Supply Company

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 13-3139732
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) 13-3139732
(I.R.S. Employer Identification

No.)

200 Powell

Place, 37027

Brentwood,
Tennessee
(Address of

principal (Zip Code)

executive

offices)

Tractor Supply Company 1996 Associate Stock Purchase Plan (Full title of the plan)

Anthony F. Crudele
Executive Vice President – Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer
Tractor Supply Company
200 Powell Place
Brentwood, Tennessee 37027
(615) 440-4000

(Name, Address, and Telephone Number of Agent for Service)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer, or a smaller reporting company. See the definitions of "large accelerated file," "accelerated filer" and "smaller reporting company" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act:

Large acceleratedb		Accelerated filer	O
filer			
Non-accelerated	o (Do not check if a smaller reporting	Smaller reporting	o
filer	company)	company	

EXPLANATORY NOTE

This Post-Effective Amendment No. 1 to Registration Statement on Form S-8 is being filed by Tractor Supply Company (the "Company") solely to include as an exhibit the consent of its independent registered public accounting firm to the incorporation by reference of its reports on the financial statements appearing in the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 25, 2010. The consent was inadvertently omitted from such Form 10-K. Other than the addition of the consent as an exhibit to this Post-Effective Amendment No. 1, there is no change to any information contained in the original Registration Statement on Form S-8 (File No. 333-10699) filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on August 23, 1996.

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Reference is made to the attached Exhibit Index, which is incorporated by reference herein.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, the Registrant certifies that it has reasonable grounds to believe that it meets all of the requirements for filing on Form S-8 and has duly caused this Post-Effective Amendment No. 1 to the Registration Statement on Form S-8 to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized, in the city of Brentwood, State of Tennessee, on February 29, 2012.

Tractor Supply Company

By: /s/ Anthony F. Crudele

Name: Anthony F. Crudele

Title: Executive Vice President - Chief Financial Officer

and Treasurer

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act, this Post-Effective Amendment No. 1 to the registration statement has been signed by the following persons in the capacities and on the dates indicated.

Signature	Title	Date
/s/ Anthony F. Crudele	Executive Vice President – Chief Financial	February 29,
Anthony F. Crudele	Officer and Treasurer (Principal Financial and	2012
	Accounting Officer)	
/s/ James F. Wright	Chairman of the Board, Chief Executive	February 28,
James F. Wright	Officer and Director (Principal Executive	2012
	Officer)	
*	Director	February 29,
Johnston C. Adams		2012
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*	Director	February 29,
William Bass		2012
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*	Director	February 29,
Peter Bewley		2012
*	Director	February 29,
Jack C. Bingleman		2012
*	Director	February 29,
Richard W. Frost		2012
*	Director	Fohmony 20
Cynthia T. Jamison	Director	February 29, 2012
Cyntina 1. Jannison		2012
*	Director	February 29,
George MacKenzie		2012
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*	Director	February 29,
Edna K. Morris		2012

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/s/ Benjamin F. Parrish, Jr.

Benjamin F. Parrish, Jr., Attorney-in-Fact

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23.1 Consent of

Ernst &

Young LLP

24.1 Power of

Attorney