

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

FORM SC 13G/A

Schedule filed to report acquisition of beneficial ownership of 5% or more of a class of equity securities by passive investors and certain institutions [amend]

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SUBJECT COMPANY

TIMBERLAND CO

CIK: **814361** | IRS No.: **020312554** | State of Incorpor.: **DE** | Fiscal Year End: **1231**
Type: **SC 13G/A** | Act: **34** | File No.: **005-39207** | Film No.: **96513432**
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UNITED STATES
 SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
 Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 13G

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934
 (Amendment No. 8)*

 The Timberland Company

(Name of Issuer)

Class A, Common Stock

(Title of Class of Securities)

887100 10 5

(CUSIP Number)

-Check the following box if a fee is being paid with this statement __. (A fee is not required only if the filing person: (1) has a previous statement on file reporting beneficial ownership of more than five percent of the class of securities described in Item 1; and (2) has filed no amendment subsequent thereto reporting beneficial ownership of five percent or less of such class.) (See Rule 13d-7).

*The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter the disclosures in a prior cover page.

The information required in the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes).

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1 NAME OF REPORTING PERSON
 S.S. OR I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSON
 Sidney W. Swartz
 ###-##-####

2 CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP*
 (a) Mr. Swartz and his wife are the sole trustees of The Swartz Family Charitable Trust which owns 9,500 shares (a) X
 (b) Mr. Swartz' wife is one of the two trustees of The Sidney W. Swartz 1982 Family Trust which owns 3,442,654 shares and is filing a separate Schedule 13G. (b) X

3 SEC USE ONLY

4 CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION
 United States

NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON WITH	5 SOLE VOTING POWER 2,716,137 6 SHARED VOTING POWER (a) Mr. Swartz and his wife are the sole trustees of The Swartz Family Charitable Trust which owns 9,500 shares; (b) Mr. Swartz' wife is one of the two trustees of The Sidney W. Swartz 1982 Family Trust which owns 3,442,654 shares and is filing a separate Schedule 13G.
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7 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
 2,716,137

8 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER
 (a) Mr. Swartz and his wife are the sole trustees of The Swartz Family Charitable Trust which owns 9,500 shares; (b) Mr. Swartz' wife is one of the two trustees of The Sidney W. Swartz 1982 Family Trust

which owns 3,442,654 shares and is filing a separate Schedule 13G.

- 9 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON
2,725,637 (but see response #6 and #8 above)
- 10 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES*
 X The aggregate amount excludes the shares of The Sidney W. Swartz
1982 Family Trust
- 11 PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 9
24.8%
- 12 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON*
IN

*SEE INSTRUCTION BEFORE FILLING OUT!

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Item 1(a). Name of Issuer:

The Timberland Company

Item 1(b). Address of Issuer's Principal Executive Offices:

200 Domain Drive, Stratham, NH 03885

Item 2(a). Name of Person Filing:

Sidney W. Swartz

Item 2(b). Address of Principal Business Office or, if none, residence:

200 Domain Drive, Stratham, NH 03885

Item 2(c). Citizenship:

United States

Item 2(d). Title of Class of Securities:

Class A Common Stock

Item 2(e). CUSIP Number:

Item 3. If this statement is filed pursuant to Rules 13d-1(b), or

13d-2(b), check whether the person filing is:

Not applicable.

Item 4. Ownership:

(a) Amount Beneficially Owned:
2,725,637

(b) Percent of Class:
24.8%

(c) Number of shares as to which such person has:

(i) sole power to vote or to direct the vote
2,716,137

(ii) shared power to vote or to direct the vote
(a) Mr. Swartz and his wife are the sole trustees of The Swartz Family Charitable Trust which owns 9,500 shares; (b) Mr. Swartz' wife is one of the two trustees of The Sidney W. Swartz 1982 Family Trust which owns 3,442,654 shares and is filing a separate Schedule 13G.

(iii) sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition of
2,716,137

(iv) shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition of (a) Mr. Swartz and his wife are the sole trustees of The Swartz Family Charitable Trust which owns 9,500 shares; (b) Mr. Swartz' wife is one of the two trustees of The Sidney W. Swartz 1982 Family Trust which owns 3,442,654 shares and is filing a separate Schedule 13G.

Item 5. Ownership of Five Percent or Less of a Class:

Not applicable.

Item 6. Ownership of More than Five Percent on Behalf of Another Person:

Not applicable.

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Item 7. Identification and Classification of the Subsidiary Which Acquired

the Security Being Reported on by the Parent Holding Company:

Not applicable.

Item 8. Identification and Classification of Members of the Group:

See Row (2) on page 2 of 5.

Item 9. Notice of Dissolution of Group:

Not applicable.

Item 10. Certification:

Not applicable.

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SIGNATURE

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I
certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete
and correct.

February 8, 1996

/s/ Sidney W. Swartz

(Signature)

Sidney W. Swartz

(Name/Title)