Devine Martin J Form 4 February 14, 2013

# FORM 4

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

Stock

Stock

Common

02/12/2013

(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

| 1. Name and A<br>Devine Mar          | Symbol                                  | 2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading<br>Symbol<br>DEAN FOODS CO [DF] |   |  |        | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable) |  |  |   |
|--------------------------------------|---|---|---|--|--------|--|--|--|---|
| _,                                   | (First) (M<br>FH HASKELL<br>SUITE 3400  | ,   | f Earliest Tr<br>Day/Year)<br>013       | ansaction                                      |        |  | DirectorX Officer (give below)   | 10%  | Owner<br>or (specify  |
| DALLAS, T                            | (Street)  FX 75204                      |   | endment, Da<br>nth/Day/Year             | Č  | 1      |  | 6. Individual or Jo<br>Applicable Line)<br>_X_ Form filed by 0<br>Form filed by N<br>Person                        |  | rson  |
| (City)                               | (State)                                 | (Zip) Tab   | le I - Non-D                            | erivative                                      | Secur  | ities Acq  | uired, Disposed o  | f, or Beneficial   | ly Owned  |
| 1.Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year)                 | 3.<br>Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 4. Securi on(A) or Di (Instr. 3,  Amount 1,500 | ispose | d of (D)   | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or<br>Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
| Common                               | 02/12/2013                              |   | M                                       | 1,500  | Α      | \$ 0   | 20 419   | D  |   |

375 (1) D

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# $\label{thm:convergence} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \end{tabular}$

| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transacti<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 5. Number on f Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) |                    | 7. Title and Amou<br>Underlying Securi<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |                                |
|---|---|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---|--|--------------------|--|--------------------------------|
|   |   |                                      | Code V                                | (A) (D)   | Date Exercisable   | Expiration<br>Date | Title  | Amo<br>or<br>Nun<br>of<br>Shai |

## **Reporting Owners**

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Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

02/12/2013

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Devine Martin J 2711 NORTH HASKELL AVENUE SUITE 3400 DALLAS, TX 75204

Chief Operating Officer

Common

Stock

02/12/2011(2) 02/12/2020

# **Signatures**

Restricted

Stock Units

(DU004977)

Katherine K. Connell, Attorney-In-Fact 02/14/2013

\*\*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).
- The reporting person received a total of 1,500 shares of Common Stock of the Issuer pursuant to the vesting provisions in the award of (1) restricted stock units. A total of 375 shares were surrendered to satisfy tax obligations of the reporting person, resulting in the issuance of a total of 1,125 net shares of Common Stock.
- The reporting person has received an award of restricted stock units, which is the right to receive shares of Common Stock of the Issuer in (2) the future, subject to the terms and conditions of the award agreement. The units vest annually, on a pro rata basis, over a three year period beginning on the first anniversary of the grant date.

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