

DAHL RICHARD J  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
DAHL RICHARD J

(Last) (First) (Middle)

450 NORTH BRAND BOULEVARD, 7TH FLOOR

(Street)

GLENDALE, CA 91203

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
DineEquity, Inc [DIN]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
03/07/2013

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
|                                 |                                      |  |                                | (A) or (D)<br>Code V Amount (D) Price                             |   |  |   |
| COMMON STOCK                    | 03/07/2013                           |  | M                              | 10,000 A \$ 35.79   | 44,200  | I  | By trust (1)  |
| COMMON STOCK                    | 03/07/2013                           |  | M                              | 2,500 A \$ 48.09  | 46,700  | I  | By trust (1)  |

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**  
(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of 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 Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|----------------------------|
| STOCK OPTION (RIGHT TO BUY)                | \$ 35.79   | 03/07/2013                           |  | M                              | 10,000  | (2) 02/02/2014   | COMMON STOCK  | 10,000                     |
| STOCK OPTION (RIGHT TO BUY)                | \$ 48.09   | 03/07/2013                           |  | M                              | 2,500   | (3) 03/01/2015   | COMMON STOCK  | 2,500                      |

## Reporting Owners

**Reporting Owner Name / Address**

**Relationships**

Director    10% Owner    Officer    Other

DAHL RICHARD J  
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GLENDALE, CA 91203

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## Signatures

/s/ Kisha L. Parker, as attorney-in-fact for Richard J. Dahl

03/11/2013

\_\_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).

(1) Shares held by Richard James Dahl as trustee for the Richard J. Dahl Revocable Living Trust dated 01/20/1995.

(2) The stock option was granted under the IHOP Corp. 2001 Stock Incentive Plan. This option to purchase 15,000 shares vested as to one-third of the shares on each of February 2, 2005, 2006 and 2007.

(3) The stock option was granted under the DineEquity, Inc. 2005 Stock Incentive Plan for Non-Employee Directors. This option to purchase 2,500 shares vested as to one-third of the shares on each of March 1, 2006, 2007 and 2008.

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