DineEquity, Inc Form 4 April 10, 2017

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

(Last)

(City)

Security

(Instr. 3)

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

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Middle)

DineEquity, Inc [DIN]

(Check all applicable)

450 NORTH BRAND

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

10% Owner Other (specify

04/07/2017

X_ Officer (give title below)

Chairman and Interim CEO

BOULEVARD, 7TH FLOOR (Street)

(State)

(Month/Day/Year)

(First)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

_X__ Director

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

(T)

(Instr. 4)

Person

Securities

Owned

Beneficially

GLENDALE, CA 91203

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

3. 4. Securities Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 5. Amount of

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial

Ownership

(Instr. 4)

(Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

(A)

Following Reported Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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 2. 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 4. 5. Number of 6. Date Exercisable and 7. Title and Amount Derivative Security Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if **Transaction**Derivative **Expiration Date** Underlying Securitie (Instr. 3) or Exercise any Code Securities (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3 and 4)

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	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	f			
				Code V	(A) (D) Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Si
RESTRICTED STOCK UNITS (DIVIDEND EQUIVALENT RIGHTS)	(1)	04/07/2017		A	34.867	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	COMMON STOCK	34.
RESTRICTED STOCK UNITS (DIVIDEND EQUIVALENT RIGHTS)	(2)	04/07/2017		A	21.483	(2)	(2)	COMMON STOCK	21.
RESTRICTED STOCK UNITS (DIVIDEND EQUIVALENT RIGHTS)	(3)	04/07/2017		A	17.829	(3)	<u>(3)</u>	COMMON STOCK	17.

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationships					
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
DAHL RICHARD J 450 NORTH BRAND BOULEVARD, 7TH FLOOR GLENDALE, CA 91203	X		Chairman and Interim CEO				

Signatures

/s/ Joanne Wu as attorney-in-fact for Richard J.

Dahl 04/10/2017

**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).
- As previously reported, the reporting person was granted restricted stock units on March 3, 2017 that will vest on March 20, 2020.
- (1) Dividend equivalent rights accrued on the previously reported restricted stock units and will vest proportionately with the restricted stock units to which they relate. Each dividend equivalent right is the economic equivalent of one share of common stock.
 - As previously reported, the reporting person was granted restricted stock units on February 26, 2016 that will vest on February 26, 2019.
- (2) Dividend equivalent rights accrued on the previously reported restricted stock units and will vest proportionately with the restricted stock units to which they relate. Each dividend equivalent right is the economic equivalent of one share of common stock.

(3)

Reporting Owners 2

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As previously reported, the reporting person was granted restricted stock units on February 24, 2015 that will vest on February 24, 2018. Dividend equivalent rights accrued on the previously reported restricted stock units and will vest proportionately with the restricted stock units to which they relate. Each dividend equivalent right is the economic equivalent of one share of common stock.

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