

McCRUMMEN RONALD L  
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**FORM 4**

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
McCRUMMEN RONALD L

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
2515 MCKINNEY AVENUE, SUITE 1200  
(Street)

DALLAS,, TX 75201

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
DEAN FOODS CO [DF]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
11/29/2006

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_X\_ Officer (give title below) \_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
SVP & Chief Accounting Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V Amount (A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	11/29/2006		M	6,770 A \$ 24.9436	8,829.281	D	
Common Stock	11/29/2006		M	530 A \$ 24.9436	9,359.281	D	

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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title
Stock Units (DF902059)	\$ 0					01/07/2006 <sup>(1)</sup> 01/07/2015	Common Stock
Stock Units (TU905692)	\$ 0					01/07/2006 <sup>(1)</sup> 01/07/2015	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy - DF003693)	\$ 24.9436					10/08/2005 <sup>(2)</sup> 10/08/2014	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy - T0003488)	\$ 24.9436					10/08/2005 <sup>(2)</sup> 10/08/2014	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy - DF902537)	\$ 26.8941					01/07/2006 <sup>(2)</sup> 01/07/2015	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy - T0000891)	\$ 26.8941					01/07/2006 <sup>(2)</sup> 01/07/2015	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy - TU000301)	\$ 26.8941					01/07/2006 <sup>(2)</sup> 01/07/2015	Common Stock
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy - DF003692)	\$ 24.9436	11/29/2006		M	6,770	10/08/2005 <sup>(3)</sup> 10/08/2014	Common Stock
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy - T0003487)	\$ 24.9436	11/29/2006		M	530	10/08/2005 <sup>(3)</sup> 10/08/2014	Common Stock

