

DEAN FOODS CO  
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 \*  
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)  
07/07/2007

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 Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	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 Derivative Security	2. Conversion or Exercise	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Transaction Code	5. Number of	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy - DF902536)	\$ 18.3014 <u>(1)</u>								01/07/2006 <sup>(2)</sup>	01/07/2015	Common Stock	3,139
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy - DV002707)	\$ 18.3014 <u>(1)</u>								01/07/2006 <sup>(2)</sup>	01/07/2015	Common Stock	1,474 <u>(1)</u>
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy - T0001757)	\$ 18.3014 <u>(1)</u>								01/07/2006 <sup>(2)</sup>	01/07/2015	Common Stock	192
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy - DV002705)	\$ 18.3014 <u>(1)</u>								01/07/2006 <sup>(2)</sup>	01/07/2015	Common Stock	90 <u>(1)</u>
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy - DF004938)	\$ 25.6821 <u>(1)</u>								01/13/2007 <sup>(2)</sup>	01/13/2016	Common Stock	2,924
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy - DV002710)	\$ 25.6821 <u>(1)</u>								01/13/2007 <sup>(2)</sup>	01/13/2016	Common Stock	1,373 <u>(1)</u>
									02/12/2008 <sup>(2)</sup>	02/12/2017		2,259

Incentive Stock Option (right to buy - DF005344)	\$ 30.1121 <u>(1)</u>				Common Stock	
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy - DV002704)	\$ 30.1121 <u>(1)</u>	02/12/2008 <sup>(2)</sup>	02/12/2017		Common Stock	1,061 <u>(1)</u>

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
McCRUMMEN RONALD L 2515 MCKINNEY AVENUE SUITE 1200 DALLAS,, TX 75201			SVP & Chief Accounting Officer	

## Signatures

Ronald L.  
McCrummen                      07/10/2007

     \*\*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) Due to a special cash dividend of \$15.00, paid by Issuer on April 2, 2007, to shareholders of record on March 27, 2007, the option exercise price and number of shares has been adjusted to maintain the value of the option award, post-dividend.
- (2) The incentive stock options were issued under the Issuer's 1997 Amended and Restated Stock Option and Restricted Stock Plan, and vest annually, on a prorata basis, over a three-year period beginning on the first anniversary of the date of grant.

### Remarks:

CONTINUATION OF FORM 4 PREVIOUSLY FILED ON THIS DATE -- NO TRANSACTIONS BEING REPORTED ON

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