FORM 3

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* BRESTLE DANIEL J			2. Date of Even Requiring State (Month/Day/Yea	ment	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol DineEquity, Inc [ DIN ]						
(Last) 450 N. BRAN (Street) GLENDALE (City)	(First) D BLVD 7TF CA (State)	(Middle)	07/07/2009	4		tionship of Reporting Perso all applicable) Director Officer (give title below)	10% Owne Other (spe below)	er	(Mont	th/Day/Year) dividual or Join cable Line) Form filed b Person	oate of Original Filed  ot/Group Filing (Check  y One Reporting  y More than One  lerson
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned											
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)				1	Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)				Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)		
Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)											
Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securiti Underlying Derivative Security		ty (Instr. 4) Con			5. Ownership Form:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)	
		Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	1 Title		Amount or Number of Shares	Exercise Price of Derivative Security		Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)		
Restricted Sto	ck		(1)	(1)		Common Stock	5,000	(1)		D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Grant of restricted stock pursuant to DineEquity, Inc. 2005 Stock Incentive Plan for Non-Employee Directors. Restrictions on these shares will lapse on July 7, 2012, provided that Reporting Person continues to serve as a member of the DineEquity, Inc. Board of Directors until such date.

> by Mark Weisberger as attorney-in-fact for Daniel J. 07/09/2009 <u>Brestle</u>

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

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

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5 (b)(v).
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