FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  ADEL BRYAN R						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol  DineEquity, Inc [ DIN ]								Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)     Director 10% Owner					
(Last) 450 NOI	,	(First) (Middle) I BRAND BOULEVARD, 7TH FLOOR					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/03/2017								X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)  SVP, LEGAL, GC AND SECRETARY				
(Street) GLENDA	GLENDALE CA 91203					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								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/*)					y/Year)	Execution Date,			3. Transact Code (In: 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 5)			Benefic Owned	es ially	Form (D) o	n: Direct r ect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Followi Reporte Transac (Instr. 3	ed ction(s)		7. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
COMMON STOCK 03/03/20						17			Α		2,777 <sup>(1)</sup> A		\$0.00	2) 15	5,447		D		
	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)		n of		6. Date Exercisable a Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		•	7. Title and Amo of Securities Underlying Derivative Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Numbe derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	e s lly	Ownershi Form: Direct (D) or Indirec (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisabl		kpiration ate	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						
STOCK OPTION (RIGHT TO BUY)	\$53.49	03/03/2017			A		35,417		(3)	03	3/03/2027	COMMON STOCK	35,417	\$0.00 <sup>(2)</sup>	35,41	7	D		

## Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Represents shares of restricted stock that will vest on March 3, 2020.
- 2. Granted as compensation for services.
- 3. This option to purchase 35,417 shares of common stock will vest as to one-third of the shares on each of March 3, 2018, 2019 and 2020.

## Remarks:

/s/ Joanne Wu as attorney-infact for Bryan R. Adel 03/07/2017

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- $^{\star}$  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).

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