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					<u>Din</u>	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol DineEquity, Inc [ DIN ]								Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)     Director 10% Owner					
(Last) 450 NOI	,	rst) (	Middle) D, 7TH	FLOOR		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/26/2016									X Officer (give title Other (specify below)  SVP, LEGAL, GC AND SECRETARY				
(Street) GLEND		A g	4. If A	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)										s. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ine)  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. Transacti Date (Month/Day						Exec if an	Deemed ecution Date, ny onth/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (AD Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 35)			3, 4 and Securiti Benefic Owned		es For ially (D)		n: Direct r ect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
					Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Pri	ice	Followin Reporte Transac (Instr. 3	ed ction(s)		7. 4)	(Instr. 4)				
COMMC	2016	016					1,634	(1) A	\$0	0.00(2)	15,	,173		D					
COMMON STOCK 02/26/20						016					1,285	(3) D	\$	90.9	13,888		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)	Execut if any	A. Deemed Execution Date, f any Month/Day/Year)		tion istr.	on of		6. Date Ex Expiration (Month/Da	Date	е	7. Title and Am of Securities Underlying Derivative Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)		rity S		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	s Blly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisab		xpiration ate	Title	or	ount mber ires					
STOCK OPTION (RIGHT TO BUY)	\$90.9	02/26/2016			A		11,292		(4)	0:	2/26/2026	COMMON STOCK	11,	292	\$0.00 <sup>(2)</sup>	11,292	2	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Represents shares of restricted stock that will vest on February 26, 2019.
- 2. Granted as compensation for services
- 3. These shares were withheld by the Issuer to satisfy the tax withholding obligations of the reporting person with respect to the vesting on February 26, 2016 of 2,283 shares of restricted stock held by the reporting person.
- 4. This option to purchase 11,292 shares of common stock will vest as to one-third of the shares on each of February 26, 2017, 2018 and 2019.

## Remarks:

<u>/s/ Bryan R. Adel</u> <u>03/01/2016</u>

\*\* 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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Know all by these presents that the undersigned hereby constitutes and appoints each of Christine Son and Joanne Wu signing singly, the undersigned's true and lawful attorney in fact to:

- (1) prepare, execute in the undersigned's name and on the undersigned's behalf, and submit to the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") a Form ID, including amendments thereto, and any other documents necessary or appropriate to obtain codes and passwords enabling the undersigned to make electronic filings with the SEC of reports required by Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), or any rule or regulation of the SEC;
- (2) prepare and execute for and on behalf of the undersigned, in the undersigned's capacity as an officer and/or director of DineEquity, Inc. (the "Corporation"), Forms 3, 4, and 5 (and any amendments thereto) in accordance with Section 16(a) of the Exchange Act and the rules thereunder;
- (3) do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of the undersigned which may be necessary or desirable to complete and execute any such Form 3, 4, or 5, complete and execute any amendment or amendments thereto, and timely file such form with the SEC and any stock exchange or similar authority; and
- (4) take any other action of any type whatsoever in connection with the foregoing which, in the opinion of such attorney in fact, may be of benefit to, in the best interest of, or legally required by, the undersigned, it being understood that the documents executed by such attorney in fact on behalf of the undersigned pursuant to this Power of Attorney shall be in such form and shall contain such terms and conditions as such attorney in fact may approve in such attorney in fact's discretion.

The undersigned hereby grants to each such attorney in fact full power and authority to do and perform any and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary, or proper to be done in the exercise of any of the rights and powers herein granted, as fully to all intents and purposes as the undersigned might or could do if personally present, with full power of substitution or revocation, hereby ratifying and confirming all that such attorney in fact, or such attorney in fact's substitute or substitutes, shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue of this power of attorney and the rights and powers herein granted. The undersigned acknowledges that the foregoing attorneys in fact, in serving in such capacity at the request of the undersigned, are not assuming, nor is the Corporation assuming, any of the undersigned's responsibilities to comply with Section 16 of the Exchange Act.

This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until the undersigned is no longer required to file Forms 3, 4, and 5 with respect to the undersigned's holdings of and transactions in securities issued by the Corporation, unless earlier revoked by the undersigned in a signed writing delivered to the foregoing attorneys in fact.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of this 24th day of February, 2016.

/s/ Bryan R. Adel Bryan R. Adel