#### FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* ADEL BRYAN R		orting Person <sup>*</sup>	Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol DineEquity, Inc [DIN]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				
(Last) 450 NORTH B FLOOR	t) (First) (Middle)  NORTH BRAND BOULEVARD, 7TH		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/28/2011	Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner  X Officer (give Other (specify title below) below)  SVP, LEGAL, GC AND SECRETARY				
(Street) GLENDALE (City)	CA (State)	91203 (Zip)	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	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. Transac Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)		
COMMON STOCK	02/28/2011		Α		2,622 (1)	Α	<b>\$</b> 0 <sup>(2)</sup>	11,622	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. Transac Code (Instr. 8		5. Number of and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	Ownership	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
STOCK OPTION (RIGHT TO BUY)	\$ 57.21	02/28/2011		A		10,488		02/28/2012 <sup>(3)</sup>	02/28/2021	COMMON STOCK	10,488	\$ 0 <sup>(2)</sup>	10,488	D	

### **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Represents shares of restricted stock that will vest on February 28, 2014.
- 2. Granted as compensation for services.
- 3. This option to purchase 10,488 shares will vest as to one-third of the shares on each of February 28, 2012, 2013 and 2014.

<u>/s/ Bryan R. Adel</u> <u>03/02/2011</u>

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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 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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