FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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| Name and Address of Reporting Person* ADEL BRYAN R | | | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Dine Brands Global, Inc. [DIN] | | | | | | | | | (Chec | k all applica Director | able) | Person(s) to Issue | | ner |
|--|--|--|--|------------------------|--|--|-----|------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---|------------------|-----------------|--|---|---|---------------------------------|--|--|------------|
| (Last) 450 NOF | ` | irst) D BOULEVAR | (Middle) D, 7TH FI | LOOR | | Date (| | liest Trar | nsaction (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | X Officer (give title Other (specify below) SVP, LEGAL, GC AND SECRETARY | | | | | | |
| (Street) GLENDALE CA 91203 | | | | | _ | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | | Line) | Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | | | |
| (City) | (S | tate) | (Zip) | n-Der | ivativ | ative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | | | 2. Trans | 2. Transaction Date | | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | | , 3 | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. | | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a | | or | 5. Amour Securitie Beneficia Owned F | s illy ollowing | Form (D) or | : Direct Indirect str. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership | | |
| | | | | | | | | | ď | Code | , | Amount | (A) or (D) | Pri | ce | Reported Transacti (Instr. 3 a | on(s) | | | (Instr. 4) |
| COMMON STOCK | | | | 01/1 | 14/2021 | | | | | M | | 11,80 | 5 A | \$ | 53.49 | 22, | 425 | | D | |
| COMMO | OMMON STOCK 01/14/20 | | | | 4/202 | 2021 | | | | S | | 11,80 | 5 D | \$7 | 71.03 ⁽¹⁾ | 10,620 | | 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. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Day | Date, | 4. Transaction Code (Instr 8) | | | | Exp | Date Exer Diration I Donth/Day | Date | of Securities | | vative | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number derivative Securities Beneficia Owned Following Reported Transacti (Instr. 4) | e s lly | 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
| | | | | | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exe | e ercisable | | xpiration ate | Title | or Nu of | nount mber ares | | | | | |
| STOCK OPTION (RIGHT TO BUY) | \$53.49 | 01/14/2021 | | | М | | | 11,805 | | (2) | 0 | 3/03/2027 | COMMON STOCK | 11 | ,805 | \$0.00 | 0 | | D | |

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. This sale was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on November 24, 2020.
- 2. This option to purchase 35,417 shares of common stock vested as to one-third on each of March 3, 2018, 2019 and 2020.

Remarks:

/s/ Bryan R. Adel

01/15/2021

** 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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