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 [®] CHRISTIE H FREDERICK						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol DineEquity, Inc [DIN]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner					
(Last)	(First) (Middle)					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/02/2009								Officer (give title below)				Othe belov	r (specify v)	
450 N. BRAND BOULEVARD - FLR 7						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
(Street) GLENDALE CA 91203					_	Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Pe Form filed by More than One Re Person														
(City)	(S		(Zip)																	
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) or 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of															7 Nature of					
Date (Month/Day/					//Year)	Execution Date, (ear) if any			Transaction Dispos Code (Instr. and 5)			ed Of (D) (4 Securitie Beneficia Owned		es For ally (D) Ind		n: Direct or ect (I)	Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
									Code	v	Amount	Amount (A) (D)		Followin Reporte Transac (Instr. 3		ed ction(s)		r. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock, \$.01 par value															2,0	2,000			See Footnote ⁽¹⁾	
Common Stock, \$.01 par value															4,000				See Footnote ⁽²⁾	
Common Stock, \$.01 par value 03/02/200)9			М		1,200 ⁽⁴⁾ A			0	8,700			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)	Execu if any	eemed tion Date,	4. Transac Code (li 8)	5. ction Number			6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			1		8. of De Se	Price rivative curity str. 5)	9. Number o derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirec (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		xpiration ate	Title	Amoun or Number of Shares							
Options	(3)							(3)		(3)	Common Stock (3)				27,500		D			
Restricted Stock	(4)	03/02/2009			М			1,200	03/01/2009		(4)	Common Stock	1,200		(4)	0		D		
Restricted Stock	(5)								(5)		(5)	Common Stock	(5)			1,500)	D		
Restricted Stock	(6)								(6)		(6)	Common Stock	(6)			2,500)	D		
Restricted Stock	(7)								(7)		(7)	Common Stock	(7)			10,00	0	D		

Explanation of Responses:

1. Shares held by Keogh Plan Trust.

2. Shares held by Christie Family Trust.

3. Non-employee stock options granted pursuant to DineEquity, Inc. 1994 Stock Incentive Plan.

4. Release of restrictions on restricted stock granted on March 1, 2006.

7. Grant of restricted stock pursuant to DineEquity, Inc. 2005 Stock Incentive Plan for Non-Employee Directors. Restrictions on these shares will lapse on February 23, 2012, provided that Reporting Person continues to serve as a member of the DineEquity, Inc. Board of Directors until such date.

^{5.} Grant of restricted stock pursuant to DineEquity, Inc. 2005 Stock Incentive Plan for Non-Employee Directors. Restrictions on these shares will lapse on February 20, 2010, provided that Reporting Person continues to serve as a member of the DineEquity, Inc. Board of Directors until such date.

^{6.} Grant of restricted stock pursuant to DineEquity, Inc. 2005 Stock Incentive Plan for Non-Employee Directors. Restrictions on these shares will lapse on February 26, 2011, 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 H. Frederick Christie

03/03/2009

** 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).

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