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DUN & BRADSTREET CORP/NW Form 4 February 26, 2008 OMB APPROVAL FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION OMB 3235-0287 Washington, D.C. 20549 Number: Check this box January 31, Expires: if no longer 2005 STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF subject to Estimated average **SECURITIES** Section 16. burden hours per Form 4 or response... 0.5 Form 5 Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction 1(b). (Print or Type Responses) 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading ALESIO STEVEN W Issuer Symbol **DUN & BRADSTREET CORP/NW** (Check all applicable) [DNB] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction _X_ Director 10% Owner X_Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) below) **103 JFK PARKWAY** 02/22/2008 Chairman and CEO (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting SHORT HILLS, NJ 07078 Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) 5. Amount of 6. 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership Indirect (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially (Instr. 3) anv Code Form: Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Direct (D) Ownership Following or Indirect (Instr. 4) Reported (\mathbf{I}) (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price Common 23,468 \$0 02/22/2008 Α A 163.777 D (1) Stock 2,272 Common \$ 02/23/2008 F D 161,505 D 90.795 Stock (2) Common 4,359 F 02/24/2008 D 157,146 D 90.795 Stock (2) 5,915 Common F D 02/25/2008 151,231 D (2) 90.215 Stock Common Held in 988.236 (3) I 401(k) Stock

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Common	
Stock	

 $3,317.42 \underline{^{(4)}}$ I FSP

Held in ESPP

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

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 Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

 (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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						Date	Expiration		or		
						Exercisable	Date	Title I	Number		
									of		
				Code V	(A) (D)			9	Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
ALESIO STEVEN W 103 JFK PARKWAY SHORT HILLS, NJ 07078	Х		Chairman and CEO					
Signatures								

/s/ Annemarie Ettinger for Steven W. Alesio

02/26/2008 Date

Explanation of Responses:

**Signature of Reporting Person

* 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).

(1) Grant of restricted stock which vests in three installments -- 20% one year from grant date, 30% two years from grant date and the remaining 50% three years from grant date.

The reporting person made an irrevocable election in November 2007 to satisfy tax withholding obligations relating to the vesting of(2) shares of Common Stock previously awarded, through the deduction of shares from the vested amount. This election was reported on a Current Report on Form 8-K filed with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission on November 21, 2007.

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- (3) Held in the issuer's 401(k) plan as of 2/20/08.
- (4) Held in the issuer's Employee Stock Purchase Plan (ESPP) as of 2/12/08.

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