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**DUN & BRADSTREET CORP/NW** Form 4 December 15, 2015 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 COUGHLIN CHRISTOPHER J Issuer Symbol **DUN & BRADSTREET CORP/NW** (Check all applicable) [DNB] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Last) (First) (Middle) X\_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) below) **103 JFK PARKWAY** 12/11/2015 (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 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 7. Nature of 1.Title of 3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) 5. Amount of 6. Execution Date, if Security (Month/Day/Year) Transaction Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: Beneficial any (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Direct (D) Ownership Following or Indirect (Instr. 4) Reported (I) (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price Common 65.1841 \$ 12/11/2015 15,122.47 D А А (1) Stock 103.68 Common HELD 800<sup>(2)</sup> Ι Stock **BY WIFE** 

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)

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) Disposed of ( (Instr. 3, 4, an 5)	) or (D)	<b>)</b> )		7. Title and Amount o Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amoun Numbe Shares
Phantom Stock Units - Deferred Compensation	<u>(4)</u>	12/11/2015		А	139.601 <u>(3)</u>		(5)	<u>(6)</u>	Common Stock	139.6 ( <u>3</u> )

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationsh					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
COUGHLIN CHRISTOPHER J 103 JFK PARKWAY SHORT HILLS, NJ 07078	Х						
Signatures							
/s/ Karen K. Pettiford-Wilson for Christopher J. Coughlin by Power of Attorney							

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 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).
- Acquired pursuant to a dividend reinvestment feature of the issuer's stock incentive plan in connection with restricted stock units held by (1)the reporting person.
- The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the (2)reporting person is the beneficial owner of the securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
- Phantom stock is reported in units vs. shares in the D&B Common Stock Fund of the issuer's non-employee directors' deferred (3)compensation plan (the "Plan").

Each phantom stock unit entitles the reporting person to a cash payment based on the value on the payout date of the issuer's common (4) stock corresponding to such units. Based on the \$103.05 closing price of the issuer's common stock on the transaction date, one share of common stock corresponds to approximately 2.67 units.

- The reporting person may transfer these phantom stock units to alternative investment funds in the Plan beginning three years from the (5)transaction date.
- (6) These phantom stock units are payable in cash after the reporting person ceases to be a member of the issuer's board of directors.

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