**DEAN FOODS CO** Form 4

February 21, 2017

## FORM 4

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

(Last)

1600

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* MUSE JOHN R

(First)

(State)

02/16/2017

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

DEAN FOODS CO [DF]

(Month/Day/Year)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

02/16/2017

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

200 CRESCENT COURT, SUITE

(Middle)

(Zip)

X\_ Director Officer (give title below)

10% Owner Other (specify

4. If Amendment, Date Original (Street)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

M

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

DALLAS, TX 75201

(City)

Common

Common

Stock

Stock

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) any (Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A) or Amount (D)

(1)

Code Price 2,134

217,190

\$0

(Instr. 3 and 4)

D

I

By Spouse (2)

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Unit (DU005838)	\$ 0	02/16/2017		M	2,134 (1)	(3)	(3)	Common Stock	2,134 (1)

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
MUSE JOHN R 200 CRESCENT COURT SUITE 1600 DALLAS, TX 75201	X					

## **Signatures**

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Kay F. Stockler Attorney-in-Fact 02/21/2017

### **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).
- (1) The Reporting Person received a total of 2,134 shares of Common Stock of the Issuer pursuant to the vesting provisions in the award of restricted stock units (RSUs).
- (2) The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of all shares not directly owned by him.
- (3) These RSUs were awarded on 2/16/2015. The award vests annually, on a pro rata basis, over a 3-year period.

Date

(4) RSUs convert into common stock on a one-for-one basis.

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