

DEAN FOODS CO  
Form 4  
February 14, 2007

**FORM 4**

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

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF  
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**KLEIN RONALD H**

(Last) (First) (Middle)

**2515 MCKINNEY AVENUE,  
SUITE 1200**

(Street)

**DALLAS, TX 75201**

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
**DEAN FOODS CO [DF]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
**02/12/2007**

4. If Amendment, Date Original  
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_X\_\_ Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_ Other (specify  
below) below)

Senior Vice President --

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  
Applicable Line)  
\_\_X\_\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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Person

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock				(A) or (D)	23,005.291	D	

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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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of 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 Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)			
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Restricted Stock Units-DF902030	\$ 0							01/07/2006 <sup>(1)</sup>	02/07/2015	Common Stock
Restricted Stock Units-TU905739	\$ 0							01/07/2006 <sup>(1)</sup>	02/07/2015	Common Stock
Restricted Stock Units-(DU003754)	\$ 0							01/13/2007 <sup>(1)</sup>	01/13/2016	Common Stock
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	02/12/2007		A		10,000		02/12/2008 <sup>(1)</sup>	02/12/2017	Common Stock
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy-T0000510)	\$ 12.1383							01/22/2002 <sup>(2)</sup>	01/22/2011	Common Stock
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy-T0000847)	\$ 12.1383							01/22/2002 <sup>(2)</sup>	01/22/2011	Common Stock
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy-DF001606)	\$ 17.1835							01/14/2003 <sup>(2)</sup>	01/14/2012	Common Stock
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy-T0000942)	\$ 17.1835							01/14/2003 <sup>(2)</sup>	01/14/2012	Common Stock
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy-DF002209)	\$ 20.9355							01/06/2004 <sup>(2)</sup>	01/06/2013	Common Stock
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy-T0001044)	\$ 20.9355							01/06/2004 <sup>(2)</sup>	01/06/2013	Common Stock
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy-DF003314)	\$ 26.3199							01/13/2005 <sup>(2)</sup>	01/13/2014	Common Stock
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy-T0001765)	\$ 26.3199							01/13/2005 <sup>(2)</sup>	01/13/2014	Common Stock
Incentive Stock Option (right to	\$ 26.8941							01/07/2006 <sup>(2)</sup>	01/07/2015	Common Stock

buy-DF902122)

Incentive Stock Option (right to buy-T0001363)	\$ 26.8941					01/07/2006 <sup>(2)</sup>	01/07/2015	Common Stock
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy-DF004892)	\$ 37.74					01/13/2007 <sup>(2)</sup>	01/13/2016	Common Stock
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 42.25	02/12/2007		A	2,259	02/12/2008 <sup>(2)</sup>	02/12/2017	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy-DF001359)	\$ 17.1835					01/14/2003 <sup>(2)</sup>	01/14/2012	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy-T0000598)	\$ 17.1835					01/14/2003 <sup>(2)</sup>	01/14/2012	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy-T0000669)	\$ 17.1835					01/14/2003 <sup>(2)</sup>	01/14/2012	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy-DF002210)	\$ 20.9355					01/06/2004 <sup>(2)</sup>	01/06/2013	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy-T0000659)	\$ 20.9355					01/06/2004 <sup>(2)</sup>	01/06/2013	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy-TU000267)	\$ 26.3199					01/13/2005 <sup>(2)</sup>	01/13/2014	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy-TU000269)	\$ 26.3199					01/13/2005 <sup>(2)</sup>	01/13/2014	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy-DF003315)	\$ 26.3199					01/13/2005 <sup>(2)</sup>	01/13/2014	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy-T0000740)	\$ 26.3199					01/13/2005 <sup>(2)</sup>	01/13/2014	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy-DF902123)	\$ 26.8941					01/10/2006 <sup>(2)</sup>	01/10/2015	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy-TU000268)	\$ 26.8941					01/07/2006 <sup>(2)</sup>	01/07/2015	Common Stock

Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy-T0000798)	\$ 26.8941					01/10/2006 <sup>(2)</sup>	01/10/2015	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy-DF004893)	\$ 37.74					01/13/2007 <sup>(2)</sup>	01/13/2016	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 42.25	02/12/2007	A	22,741		02/12/2008 <sup>(2)</sup>	02/12/2017	Common Stock

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
KLEIN RONALD H 2515 MCKINNEY AVENUE, SUITE 1200 DALLAS, TX 75201			Senior Vice President --	

## Signatures

Ronald H. Klein                      02/14/2007

\_\_Signature of  
Reporting Person

Date

## 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).

A Stock Unit, which is issued under the Company's 1989 Stock Awards Plan, is a right to receive one share of common stock of the

- (1) Issuer in the future, subject to the terms and conditions of the award agreement. The units vest annually, on a prorata basis, over a five-year period beginning on the first anniversary date of grant, subject to certain accelerated vesting provisions.
- (2) The shares of common stock subject to the Option shall vest ratably in three equal increments commencing on the first anniversary of the grant date.

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