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| May 20, 2013 FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington D.C. 20540 | | | | | | | | | PPROVAL 3235-0287 | |
| if no longer subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continu | Section 16.SECURITIESForm 4 orForm 5Form 5Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,obligationsSection 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Sectionsee Instruction30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 | | | | | | | Expires: Estimated a burden hou response | irs per | |
| (Print or Type Res | sponses) | | | | | | | | | |
| Cugine Joseph M. Syn | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading ymbol Chefs' Warehouse, Inc. [CHEF] | | | | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer | | | |
| (Month/ | | | ate of Earliest Tronth/Day/Year) 17/2013 | ransaction | | | (Check all applicable) <u>X</u> Director Officer (give title <u>10%</u> Owner <u>Director</u> Other (specify below) | | | |
| | | | ² Amendment, Day/Year | - | | | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting | | | |
| (City) | | Zip) | | | | | Person | | | |
| 1.Title of | (State) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | - | 3. te, if Transact Code Year) (Instr. 8) | 4. Securi ionAcquired Disposed | ties l (A) o l of (D 4 and (A) or | er P) | Beneficially | f, or Beneficial 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | - | |
| Common Stock | 05/17/2013 | | А | 1,769 | A | \$ 0 (1) | 3,408 | 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) | 4. Transact Code (Instr. 8) | nsactionNumber Ex e of (N | | Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | Amou Unde Secur | le and unt of rlying rities . 3 and 4) | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Nu Deriv Secu Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr |
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| | | | Code V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|--|--|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | | | |
| Cugine Joseph M. 100 EAST RIDGE ROAD RIDGEFIELD, CT 06877 | Х | | | | | | | |
| Signatures | | | | | | | | |
| (a) Alexandres Aldeus Attemax in East for Lesanh M | | | | | | | | |

/s/ Alexandros Aldous, Attorney-in-Fact for Joseph M. Cugine

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

05/20/2013

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).

This reporting person received 1,769 shares of restricted common stock pursuant to The Chefs' Warehouse, Inc. 2011 Omnibus Equity

(1) Incentive Plan. The forfeiture restrictions associated with 100% of the award will lapse on the date of the issuer's 2014 annual stockholders' meeting.

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