DEAN FOODS CO Form 4 July 02, 2008

FORM 4

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

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obligations

may continue.

See Instruction

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> GREEN STEPHEN L

(First)

(Street)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading

Symbol

DEAN FOODS CO [DF]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 06/29/2008

105 ROWAYTON AVENUE 06/29/2

(Middle)

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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X Director _____ 10% Owner
____ Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person ____ Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

ROWAYTON, CT 06853

(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Table	I - Non-Do	erivative S	Securi	ties Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly 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 onAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	06/29/2008		M	850 (1)	A	\$0	119,123 (2)	D	
Common Stock	06/30/2008		A	1,835 (3)	A	\$0	120,958 (2)	D	
Common Stock	06/30/2008		M	850 <u>(4)</u>	A	\$ 0	121,808 (2)	D	
Common Stock	06/30/2008		M	399 (4)	A	\$ 0	122,207 (2)	D	
Common Stock	06/30/2008		M	850 (5)	A	\$0	123,057 (2)	D	
	06/30/2008		M	399 (5)	A	\$0	123,456 <u>(2)</u>	D	

Common Stock

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)	Secu Acqu (A) o Disp (D)	rities nired or osed of r. 3, 4,	6. Date Exercisal Expiration Date (Month/Day/Yea		7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Secu
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	An or No
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy SI001316)	\$ 8.0206						06/30/1999(6)	06/30/2009	Common Stock	2
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy DV001426)	\$ 8.0206						06/30/1999(6)	06/30/2009	Common Stock	1
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy T0000632)	\$ 8.0206						06/30/1999(6)	06/30/2009	Common Stock	۷
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy DV001443)	\$ 8.0206						06/30/1999(6)	06/30/2009	Common Stock	1
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy SI001801)	\$ 9.3614						06/30/2000(6)	06/30/2010	Common Stock	2
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy DV001436)	\$ 9.3614						06/30/2000(6)	06/30/2010	Common Stock	1

Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy T0000636)	\$ 9.3614	06/30/2000 <u>(6)</u>	06/30/2010	Common Stock	4
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy DV001431)	\$ 9.3614	06/30/2000 <u>(6)</u>	06/30/2010	Common Stock	1
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy SF002503)	\$ 10.1707	06/29/2001 <u>(6)</u>	06/29/2011	Common Stock	2
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy DV001433)	\$ 10.1707	06/29/2001 <u>(6)</u>	06/29/2011	Common Stock	1
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy T0000641)	\$ 10.1707	06/29/2001 <u>(6)</u>	06/29/2011	Common Stock	4
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy DV001428)	\$ 10.1707	06/29/2001(6)	06/29/2011	Common Stock	1
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy DF002166)	\$ 14.2351	07/01/2002(6)	07/01/2012	Common Stock	2
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy DV001437)	\$ 14.2351	07/01/2002(6)	07/01/2012	Common Stock	1
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy T0000647)	\$ 14.2351	07/01/2002 <u>(6)</u>	07/01/2012	Common Stock	4
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy DV001427)	\$ 14.2351	07/01/2002(6)	07/01/2012	Common Stock	1
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy DF002876)	\$ 18.1003	06/30/2003(6)	06/30/2013	Common Stock	7
	\$ 18.1003	06/30/2003(6)	06/30/2013		3

Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy DV001438)				Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy T0000813)	\$ 18.1003	06/30/2003(6)	06/30/2013	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy DV001439)	\$ 18.1003	06/30/2003(6)	06/30/2013	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy DF003664)	\$ 21.4389	06/30/2004(6)	06/30/2014	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy DV001442)	\$ 21.4389	06/30/2004(6)	06/30/2014	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy T0000786)	\$ 21.4389	06/30/2004(6)	06/30/2014	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy DV001440)	\$ 21.4389	06/30/2004 <u>(6)</u>	06/30/2014	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy DF905918)	\$ 23.9808	06/30/2005 <u>(6)</u>	06/30/2015	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy DV001429)	\$ 23.9808	06/30/2005 <u>(6)</u>	06/30/2015	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy DF005291)	\$ 25.3078	06/30/2006 <u>(6)</u>	06/30/2016	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy DV001430)	\$ 25.3078	06/30/2006 <u>(6)</u>	06/30/2016	Common Stock
	\$ 31.87	06/29/2007(6)	06/29/2017	7

Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy DF005996)						Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 19.62	06/30/2008	A	7,500	06/30/2008 ⁽⁷⁾ 06/30/2018	Common Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

GREEN STEPHEN L
105 ROWAYTON AVENUE X
ROWAYTON, CT 06853

Signatures

Katherine K. Connell, Attorney-In-Fact

07/02/2008

**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).
- (1) Represents shares of common stock of the Issuer vested on the first annual vesting date of a 06/29/2007 award of Restricted Stock Units ("RSUs").
- (2) Includes 4,438 shares of RSUs which have vested and for which the reporting person has opted to defer receipt until a future date.
- These are restricted shares issued under the Issuer's 2007 Stock Incentive Plan in payment of fees owed for services as an independent director. All such shares are subject to vesting in three equal increments, with the first vesting occurring as of the date the shares were issued and then annually thereafter.
- (4) Represents shares of common stock of the Issuer vested on the third annual vesting date of a 06/30/2005 award of RSUs.
- (5) Represents shares of common stock of the Issuer vested on the second annual vesting date of a 06/30/2006 award of RSUs.
- (6) The options were automatically granted under the Issuer's 1997 Amended and Restated Stock Option and Restricted Stock Plan, and are fully vested and immediately exercisable upon grant.
- (7) The options were granted automatically under the Issuer's 2007 Stock Incentive Plan, and are fully vested and immediately exercisable upon grant.

Remarks:

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