DEAN FOODS CO Form 4 February 14, 2013

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

MUSE JOHN R (Last) (First) (Middle)			Symbol DEAN FOODS CO [DF]					Issuer			
				3. Date of Earliest Transaction					(Check all applicable)		
200 CRESCENT COURT, SUITE 1600		(Month/Day/Year) 02/12/2013									
	(Street)		4. If Ame	ndment, Da	te Origina	l		6. Individual or	· Joint/Group Fi	ling(Check	
DALLAS, T	TX 75201		Filed(Mon	th/Day/Year)				by One Reporting y More than One		
	1X 73201							Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities A	equired, Disposed	of, or Benefici	ially Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction I (Month/Day/Ye	ar) Execution	emed on Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	Disposed (Instr. 3,	l (A) o l of (D))	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock	02/12/2013			M	1,000 (1)	A	\$0	359,736	D		
Common Stock								2,550	I	by Spouse.	
Common Stock								2,000	I	by minor children sharing household.	

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Common

Stock

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)	Securities	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amou Underlying Securi (Instr. 3 and 4)	
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Am or Nur of

Code V (A)

(D)

1,000

(1)

02/12/2011(3) 02/12/2020

Stock Units \$ 0 02/12/2013 M (DU005569)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

MUSE JOHN R 200 CRESCENT COURT, SUITE 1600 X DALLAS, TX 75201

Signatures

Restricted

Carman M. Callahan, Attorney-In-Fact

**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) The reporting person received a total of 1,000 shares of Common Stock of the Issuer pursuant to the vesting provisions in the award of restricted stock units.
- (2) The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of all shares not directly owned by him.
- The reporting person has received an award of restricted stock units which is the right to receive shares of Common Stock of the Issuer in (3) the future, subject to the terms and conditions of the award agreement. The restricted stock units vest annually, on a pro rata basis, over a three year period beginning on the first anniversary of the grant date.

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

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