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FORM 4

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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

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Berk Howard M

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
DineEquity, Inc [DIN]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
645 FIFTH AVENUE, 21ST FLOOR

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
08/02/2012

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

NEW YORK, NY 10022

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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 Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|-------|
| | | | | (A) or (D) | Price | | | |
| | | | | Code | V | Amount | (D) | Price |

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 | 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 | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4) |
|--|------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|--|--|---|
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| Derivative Security | | | Code | Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title |
|--|---------|------------|--------------------|---|---------|---------------------------|---------------------------|--------------|
| | | | | V | (A) | | | |
| Total Return Equity Swap ⁽¹⁾ <u>(2)</u> <u>(3)</u> | \$ 52.5 | 08/02/2012 | X/K ⁽¹⁾ | | 120,188 | 08/02/2012 ⁽¹⁾ | 09/17/2018 ⁽¹⁾ | Common Stock |
| Total Return Equity Swap ⁽²⁾ <u>(3)</u> <u>(1)</u> | \$ 52.5 | 08/02/2012 | X/K ⁽¹⁾ | | 36,180 | 08/02/2012 ⁽¹⁾ | 09/17/2018 ⁽¹⁾ | Common Stock |
| Total Return Equity Swap ⁽¹⁾ <u>(2)</u> <u>(3)</u> | \$ 52.5 | 08/02/2012 | X/K ⁽¹⁾ | | 128,400 | 08/02/2012 ⁽¹⁾ | 09/17/2018 ⁽¹⁾ | Common Stock |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Berk Howard M 645 FIFTH AVENUE, 21ST FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022 | X | | | |

Signatures

/s/ Howard M.
Berk

08/06/2012

^{**}Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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- On August 2, 2012, MSD SBI, L.P. ("MSD SBI") exercised its right to terminate and close out of each of its cash-settled total equity swap agreements ("Swaps") with Citibank, NA New York entered into on September 17, 2008, October 28, 2008 and November 20, 2008, respectively, covering an aggregate of 284,768 shares of the Issuer's Common Stock. The Swaps were settled at a price of \$52.50.
- (1) Represents securities owned by MSD SBI, MSD Capital, L.P. ("MSD Capital") is the general partner of MSD SBI and may be deemed to beneficially own securities owned by MSD SBI. MSD Capital Management LLC ("MSD Capital Management") is the general partner of MSD Capital and may be deemed to beneficially own securities owned by MSD Capital. Each of Glenn R. Fuhrman, John C. Phelan and Marc R. Lisker is a manager of MSD Capital Management and may be deemed to beneficially own securities owned by MSD Capital Management. Michael S. Dell is the controlling member of MSD Capital Management and may be deemed to beneficially own securities owned by MSD Capital Management. Each of Messrs. Dell, Fuhrman, Phelan and Lisker disclaims beneficial ownership of such securities except to the extent of any pecuniary interest therein. The Reporting Person is an employee of MSD Capital and may be

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deemed to beneficially own securities owned by MSD Capital.

- (3) The Reporting Person states that neither the filing of this statement nor anything herein shall be deemed an admission that such person is, for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise, the beneficial owner of any securities covered by this statement. The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of the securities covered by this statement, except to the extent of the pecuniary interest of such person in such securities.

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