DineEquity, Inc Form 4 January 11, 2016

FORM 4

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

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MSD CAPITAL L P

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

DineEquity, Inc [DIN]

(Check all applicable)

(First) (Middle) (Last)

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

X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify

645 FIFTH AVENUE, 21ST FLOOR,

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

(Street)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

01/08/2016

Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person X Form filed by More than One Reporting

NEW YORK, NY 10022

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

7. Nature of

Ownership

(Instr. 4)

Indirect

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

Security

(City)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Zip)

(State)

or Exercise

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of 6. Ownership Securities Form: Direct Beneficially (D) or Indirect Beneficial Owned (I) (Instr. 4)

Following Reported Transaction(s)

below)

(A) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

Securities

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

any

(Month/Day/Year)

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

Code

1. Title of 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 4. 5. Number of 6. Date Exercisable and 7. Title and Amount of 8. Derivative Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if **Transaction**Derivative **Expiration Date Underlying Securities** (Month/Day/Year)

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(Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)				(
				Code V	(A) (I	D) Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units (Dividend Equivalent Rights)	(1)	01/08/2016		A(1)	16.907	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	16.907
Restricted Stock Units (Dividend Equivalent Rights)	(2)	01/08/2016		A(2)	14.369	<u>(2)</u>	<u>(2)</u>	Common Stock	14.369
Restricted Stock Units (Dividend Equivalent Rights)	(3)	01/08/2016		A(3)	10.443	(3)	<u>(3)</u>	Common Stock	10.443

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
F-	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
MSD CAPITAL L P 645 FIFTH AVENUE, 21ST FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022	X					
MSD SBI LP 645 FIFTH AVENUE, 21ST FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022	X					
DELL MICHAEL S C/O DELL INC. ONE DELL WAY ROUND ROCK, TX 78682	X					

Signatures

MSD Capital, L.P. By: MSD Capital Management LLC Its: General Partner By: /s/ Marc R.

Lisker Name: Marc R. Lisker Title: Manager 01/11/2016

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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MSD SBI, L.P. By: MSD Capital, L.P. Its: General Partner By: MSD Capital Management LLC Its: General Partner By: /s/ Marc R. Lisker Name: Marc R. Lisker Title: Manager

01/11/2016

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Michael S. Dell By: /s/ Marc R. Lisker Name: Marc R. Lisker Title: Attorney-in-Fact

01/11/2016

**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).
- As previously reported, Howard M. Berk was granted restricted stock units ("RSUs") on February 26, 2013 that will vest on February 26, (1) 2016. Dividend equivalent rights accrued on the previously reported RSUs and will vest proportionately with the RSUs to which they relate. Each dividend equivalent right is the economic equivalent of one share of common stock.
- As previously reported, Howard M. Berk was granted RSUs on February 25, 2014 that will vest on February 25, 2017. Dividend equivalent rights accrued on the previously reported RSUs and will vest proportionately with the RSUs to which they relate. Each dividend equivalent right is the economic equivalent of one share of common stock.
- As previously reported, Howard M. Berk was granted RSUs on February 24, 2015 that will vest on February 24, 2018. Dividend (3) equivalent rights accrued on the previously reported RSUs and will vest proportionately with the RSUs to which they relate. Each dividend equivalent right is the economic equivalent of one share of common stock.
 - This statement is jointly filed by and on behalf of each of MSD Capital, L.P. ("MSD Capital"), MSD SBI, L.P. ("MSD SBI") and Michael S. Dell. 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
- (4) securities owned by MSD Capital. Each of Glenn R. Fuhrman 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 and Lisker disclaims beneficial ownership of such securities except to the extent of any pecuniary interest therein. [footnote cont'd]
- (5) [continuation] Mr. Berk is an employee of MSD Capital and each reporting person may be deemed to beneficially own securities owned by Mr. Berk.
- Each 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 (the "Act"), or otherwise, the beneficial owner of any securities covered by this statement. Each 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.
- Each reporting person may be deemed to be a member of a group with respect to the issuer or securities of the issuer for purposes of

 Section 13(d) or 13(g) of the Act. Each reporting person declares that neither the filing of this statement nor anything herein shall be construed as an admission that such person is, for the purposes of Section 13(d) or 13(g) of the Act or any other purpose, a member of a group with respect to the issuer or securities of the issuer.

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