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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

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

(Last) (First) (Middle)

645 FIFTH AVENUE, 21ST FLOOR

(Street)

NEW YORK, NY 10022

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

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

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

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)	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 <sup>(1)</sup> <u>(2)</u> <u>(3)</u>	\$ 52.5	08/02/2012	X/K <sup>(1)</sup>		120,188	08/02/2012 <sup>(1)</sup>	09/17/2018 <sup>(1)</sup>	Common Stock
Total Return Equity Swap <sup>(2)</sup> <u>(3)</u> <u>(1)</u>	\$ 52.5	08/02/2012	X/K <sup>(1)</sup>		36,180	08/02/2012 <sup>(1)</sup>	09/17/2018 <sup>(1)</sup>	Common Stock
Total Return Equity Swap <sup>(1)</sup> <u>(2)</u> <u>(3)</u>	\$ 52.5	08/02/2012	X/K <sup>(1)</sup>		128,400	08/02/2012 <sup>(1)</sup>	09/17/2018 <sup>(1)</sup>	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).
  - \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- 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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