#### GOOLSBY MICHELLE P

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#### FORM 4

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading **GOOLSBY MICHELLE P** Issuer Symbol DEAN FOODS CO/[DF] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title \_X\_ Other (specify 2515 MCKINNEY AVENUE, 01/13/2006 below) below) **SUITE 1200** Exec VP, Chief Admin Officer, / General Counsel and Secretary (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting DALLAS, TX 75201 Person (Zip) (City) (State) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficial Code Beneficially (D) or (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Indirect (I) Ownership Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code Amount (D) Price Common 4,737 01/13/2006 \$0 M A 20,150.249 D (1) Stock Common 1,737 F D 01/13/2006 D 18,423.249 37.82 (1)

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

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# $\label{thm:convergence} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (\emph{e.g.}, puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \\ \end{tabular}$

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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	FransactiorDerivative Code Securities		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and 4
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Deferred Stock Units (DU000094)	\$ 0	01/13/2006		M		4,000	01/13/2005	01/13/2014	Common Stock
Deferred Stock Units (TU905830) (2)	\$ 0	01/13/2006		M		737	01/13/2005	01/13/2014	Common Stock
Restricted Stock Units (DF902049) (2)	\$ 0						01/07/2006	01/07/2015	Common Stock
Restricted Stock Units (TU905728) (2)	\$ 0						01/07/2006	01/07/2015	Common Stock
Restricted Stock Units (2)	\$ 0	01/13/2006		A	18,000		01/13/2007	01/07/2015	Common Stock
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy - DF002193) (3)	\$ 20.9355						01/06/2004	01/06/2013	Common Stock
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy - T0001053) (3)	\$ 20.9355						01/06/2004	01/06/2013	Common Stock
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy - DF003308) (3)	\$ 26.3199						01/13/2005	01/13/2014	Common Stock
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy - T0001773) (3)	\$ 26.3199						01/13/2005	01/13/2014	Common Stock
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy - DF902436) (3)	\$ 26.8941						01/07/2006	01/07/2015	Common Stock

Incentive Stock Option (right to buy - T0001371) (3)	\$ 26.8941	01/07/2006	01/07/2015	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy - SF000676) (3)	\$ 13.7918	07/31/1999	07/31/2008	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy - T0000612) (3)	\$ 13.7918	07/31/1999	07/31/2008	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy - SF002265) (3)	\$ 12.1383	01/22/2002	01/22/2011	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy - DF001537) (3)	\$ 17.1835	01/14/2003	01/14/2012	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy - T0000625) (3)	\$ 17.1835	01/14/2003	01/14/2012	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy - DF001337) (3)	\$ 17.1835	01/14/2003	01/14/2012	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy - T0000615) (3)	\$ 17.1835	01/14/2003	01/14/2012	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy - DF002194) (3)	\$ 20.9355	01/06/2004	01/06/2013	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy - T0000610) (3)	\$ 20.9355	01/06/2004	01/06/2013	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy - DF003309) (3)	\$ 26.3199	01/13/2005	01/13/2014	Common Stock
	\$ 26.3199	01/13/2005	01/13/2014	

Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy - T0000708) (3)							Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy - TU000209) (3)	\$ 26.3199				01/13/2005	01/13/2014	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy - TU000206) (3)	\$ 26.3199				01/13/2005	01/13/2014	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy - DF902437) (3)	\$ 26.8941				01/07/2006	01/07/2015	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy - T0000700) (3)	\$ 26.8941				01/07/2006	01/07/2015	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy - TU000207) (3)	\$ 26.8941				01/07/2006	01/07/2015	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 37.74	01/13/2006	A	86,200	01/13/2007	01/13/2016	Common Stock

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationships						
		Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
GOOLSBY MICHEL 2515 MCKINNEY A 1200 DALLAS, TX 75201				Exec VP, Chief Admin Officer,	General Counsel and Secretary			
Signatures								
Michelle P. Goolsby	01/17/2006							
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date							

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## **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).
- The reporting person was entitled to receive a total of 4,737 shares of common stock of the Issuer pursuant to the vesting provisions in the 2004 Award of Deferred Stock Units ("DSUs"). A portion of these shares (1,727) were surrendered to satisfy tax obligations of the reporting person, resulting in the issuance of 3,010 net shares of common stock.
- A Deferred Stock Unit, which is issued under the Company's 1989 Stock Awards Plan, is a right to receive one share of common stock of (2) the Issuer in the future, subject to the terms and conditions of the award agreement. The units vest annually, on a prorata basis, over a five-year period beginning on the first anniversary date of grant, subject to certain accelerated vesting provisions.
- (3) The shares of common stock subject to the Option vest ratably in three equal increments commencing on the first anniversary of the grant date.

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