

Lecouras Patricia  
Form 4  
January 23, 2013

**FORM 4**

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

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1(b).

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Lecouras Patricia

(Last) (First) (Middle)

100 EAST RIDGE ROAD

(Street)

RIDGEFIELD, CT 06877

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
Chefs' Warehouse, Inc. [CHEF]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
01/21/2013

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

EVP of Human Resources

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  
Applicable Line)  
\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
\_\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting  
Person

**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)
Common Stock	01/21/2013		A	(A) or (D) Amount (1) 4,551	\$ 0	78,024 (2)	D
Common Stock	01/21/2013		A	(A) or (D) Amount (3) 18,205	\$ 0	96,229	D

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 Derivative Security	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 Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
Lecouras Patricia 100 EAST RIDGE ROAD RIDGEFIELD, CT 06877	EVP of Human Resources

## Signatures

/s/ Alexandros Aldous, Attorney-in-Fact for Patricia  
Lecouras  
01/23/2013

\_\_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).

This reporting person received 4,551 shares of restricted common stock pursuant to The Chefs' Warehouse, Inc. 2011 Omnibus Equity

(1) Incentive Plan. The forfeiture restrictions associated with this award will lapse in one-third increments as of the first through third anniversary dates of the grant date.

(2) Reflects an adjustment to the number of shares owned by 29 shares to take into account the reporting person's over-reporting of the number of shares withheld to pay taxes as reported in a Form 4 filed on January 15, 2013.

This reporting person received 18,205 shares of restricted common stock pursuant to The Chefs' Warehouse, Inc. 2011 Omnibus Equity

(3) Incentive Plan. The forfeiture restrictions associated with this award will lapse in one-third increments based upon the Company's achievement of certain performance targets related to fully diluted earnings per share for each of the 2013, 2014 and 2015 fiscal years.

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