O'Dowd Frank Form 4 January 23, 2013

## FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Last)

(City)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* O'Dowd Frank

(Middle)

(Zip)

(First)

100 EAST RIDGE ROAD

(Street)

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 Other (specify X\_ Officer (give title below)

**Chief Information Officer** 

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

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

RIDGEFIELD, CT 06877

(State)

		Table 1-1001-Delivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, of Beneficiary Owned								
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securities Acquired		5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature of		
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction(A) or Disposed of			Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect		
(Instr. 3)	•	any	Code	(D)			Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial	
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership		
						Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)		
					( )		Reported			
					(A)		Transaction(s)			
			C 1 W		or	ъ.	(Instr. 3 and 4)			
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price				
Common	01/21/2013		A	4,551	Α	\$ 0	135,524 (2)	D		
Stock	01/21/2013		Λ	(1)	А	ΨΟ	133,324 <u>· · · </u>	D		
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Common	01/21/2013		A	18,205	Α	\$ 0	153,729	D		
Stock	01/21/2013		11	(3)	<i>1</i> <b>1</b>	ψυ	133,127	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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	e and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	orNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amou	nt of	Derivative	Deriv
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Underl	lying	Security	Secui
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivativ	e		Securit	ties	(Instr. 5)	Bene
	Derivative				Securities Acquired			(Instr.	3 and 4)		Own
	Security										Follo
	·				(A) or						Repo
					Disposed						Trans
					of (D)						(Instr
					(Instr. 3,						
					4, and 5)						
									A		
									Amount		
						Date	Expiration		or		
						Exercisable	Date		Number		
				C 1 W	(A) (D)				of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

## **Reporting Owners**

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Officer Other Director 10% Owner

O'Dowd Frank 100 EAST RIDGE ROAD RIDGEFIELD, CT 06877

**Chief Information Officer** 

### **Signatures**

/s/ Alexandros Aldous, Attorney-in-Fact for Frank O'Dowd

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 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.
- 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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