DEAN FOODS CO/ Form 4 May 09, 2006

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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may continue. See Instruction

1(b).

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

SECURITIES

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * BERNON ALAN J			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol DEAN FOODS CO/ [DF]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)		
2515 MCKINNEY AVENUE, SUITE 1200		TUE,	(Month/Day/Year) 05/05/2006	_X_ Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) President - Dean Dairy Group		
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)		
DALLAS, TX 75201				_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Ta	ble I - Non	-Derivative	Secur	ities Acquire	ed, 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)	Code (Instr. 8)	onDisposed o (Instr. 3, 4	f (D) and 5) (A) or		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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	05/05/2006		Code V P	Amount 3,500	(D)	Price \$ 36.7	597,944.4644	D	
Common Stock	01/31/2006		J <u>(1)</u> V	215.078	A	\$ 36.0335	598,159.5424	D	
Common Stock	02/28/2006		J <u>(1)</u> V	217.718	A	\$ 35.5965	598,377.2604	D	
Common Stock	03/31/2006		J(1) V	155.875	A	\$ 36.8885	598,533.1354	D	

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

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

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4, an 5)	0)		7. Title and Underlying (Instr. 3 and
				Code V	(A) (I	Date Exercisable O)	Expiration Date	Title
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy-T0000489)	\$ 12.1383					01/22/2002 ⁽²⁾	01/22/2011	Commor Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy-T0000674)	\$ 12.1383					06/27/2005 <u>(2)</u>	01/22/2011	Commor Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy-T0000354)	\$ 17.1835					01/14/2003 ⁽²⁾	01/14/2012	Commor Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy-T0000616)	\$ 17.1835					06/27/2005 <u>(2)</u>	01/14/2012	Commor Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy-T0000355)	\$ 17.1835					01/14/2003 <u>(2)</u>	01/14/2012	Commor Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy-T0000604)	\$ 17.1835					06/27/2005 <u>(2)</u>	01/14/2012	Commor Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy-DF002200)	\$ 20.9355					01/06/2004(2)	01/06/2013	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option	\$ 20.9355					06/27/2005(2)	01/06/2013	Commor Stock

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(right to buy-T0000606)							
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy-T0000015)	\$ 26.3199				01/13/2005(2)	01/13/2014	Commor Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy-TU000143	\$ 26.3199				01/13/2005(2)	10/13/2014	Common Stock
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy-T0001703)	\$ 26.3199				01/13/2006(2)	01/13/2014	Commor Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy-TU000144)	\$ 26.3199				01/13/2006(2)	01/13/2014	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy-DF003299)	\$ 26.3199				01/13/2005(2)	01/13/2014	Commor Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy-T0000769)	\$ 26.3199				06/27/2005(2)	01/13/2014	Common Stock
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy-DF902106)	\$ 26.8941				01/10/2006(2)	01/10/2015	Commor Stock
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy-T0001361)	\$ 26.8941				01/10/2006(2)	01/10/2015	Commor Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy-TU000145)	\$ 26.8941				01/10/2006(2)	01/10/2015	Commor Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy-DF902107)	\$ 26.8941				01/10/2006(2)	01/10/2015	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy-T0000797)	\$ 26.8941				01/10/2006(2)	01/10/2015	Commor Stock
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy-DF004887)	\$ 37.74	01/13/2006	A	2,878 (3)	01/13/2007(2)	01/13/2016	Commor Stock

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Stock Option (right to buy-DF004888)	\$ 37.74	01/13/2006	A	273,122 (3)	01/13/2007(2)	01/13/2016	Common Stock
Restricted Stock Units (DU000424) (4)	\$ 0				09/19/2006(4)	09/19/2015	Commor Stock
Restricted Stock Units (DU003750) (4)	\$ 0				01/13/2007(4)	01/13/2016	Commor Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
BERNON ALAN J			President -			
2515 MCKINNEY AVENUE, SUITE 1200	X		Dean Dairy			
DALLAS, TX 75201			Group			

Signatures

Non Qualified

Alan J. Bernon	05/09/200		
**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).
- (1) Shares purchased through Issuer's Employee Stock Purchase Plan.
- (2) The shares of common stock subject to the Option shall vest ratably in three equal increments commencing on the first anniversary of the grant date.
- (3) The shares were previously reported as a total grant of 276,000 non-qualified stock options; the grant was revised to 2,878 incentive stock options and 273,122 non-qualified stock options.
- A Restricted Stock Unit, which is issued under the Company's 1989 Stock Awards Plan, is a right to receive one share of common stock of 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 three-year period beginning on the first anniversary of the date of grant.

Remarks:

This amendment is being filed to correct the number of shares beneficially owned following the reported transaction as noted in Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure.

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