**DEAN FOODS CO** Form 4 January 03, 2008

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

**OMB APPROVAL** 

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

TURNER JIM L

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

			DEAN FOODS CO [DF]			(Check all applicable)					
	(First) (N AGES L.P., 5950 ANE STE 370	Middle)	3. Date of (Month/D 12/31/20	ay/Year		nsaction			_X_ Director Officer (give below)	10%	Owner er (specify
DALLAS, T	(Street)		4. If Amer Filed(Mon			e Original			6. Individual or J Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by Form filed by I Person		erson
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table	e I - Noi	n-De	erivative S	ecurit	ies Acq	uired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficial	lly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)  12/31/2007	Execution		Code (Instr.		4. Securit n(A) or Dis (D) (Instr. 3, 4)	sposed	of  Price \$ 0	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	
Stock  Common Stock	05/17/2007			G	V		D	\$ 0	0	I	The Jim L. Turner 2004
Stock											Annuity Trust
Common Stock	05/17/2007			G	V	32,636	D	\$0	0	I	The Julie Carolyn Turner 2004 Annuity

Trust

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)	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)	of			7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securi
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Am or Nur of S
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy-SI900786)	\$ 11.2299			Code		06/30/1998(2)	06/30/2008	Common Stock	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy-DV003965)	\$ 11.2299					06/30/1998(2)	06/30/2008	Common Stock	5,1
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy-T0000752)	\$ 11.2299					06/30/1998(2)	06/30/2008	Common Stock	2,0
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy-DV003966)	\$ 11.2299					06/30/1998(2)	06/30/2008	Common Stock	9
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy-SI800786)	\$ 11.2299					06/30/1998(2)	06/30/2008	Common Stock	11,
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to	\$ 11.2299					06/30/1998(2)	06/30/2008	Common Stock	5,

buy-DV003968)					
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy-T0000751)	\$ 11.2299	06/30/1998(2)	06/30/2008	Common Stock	2,
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy-DV003969)	\$ 11.2299	06/30/1998(2)	06/30/2008	Common Stock	9
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy-SI901312)	\$ 8.0206	06/30/1999(2)	06/30/2009	Common Stock	5
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy-DV003967)	\$ 8.0206	06/30/1999(2)	06/30/2009	Common Stock	2
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy-SI701312)	\$ 8.0206	06/30/1999(2)	06/30/2009	Common Stock	10
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy-DV003985)	\$ 8.0206	06/30/1999(2)	06/30/2009	Common Stock	5,
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy-T0700754)	\$ 8.0206	06/30/1999(2)	06/30/2009	Common Stock	2,
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy-DV003976)	\$ 8.0206	06/30/1999(2)	06/30/2009	Common Stock	9
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy-SI801312)	\$ 8.0206	06/30/1999(2)	06/30/2009	Common Stock	5
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy-DV003970)	\$ 8.0206	06/30/1999(2)	06/30/2009	Common Stock	2
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy-SI601312)	\$ 8.0206	06/30/1999(2)	06/30/2009	Common Stock	10

Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy-DV003997)	\$ 8.0206	06/30/1999(2)	06/30/2009	Common Stock	5,
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy-T0600753)	\$ 8.0206	06/30/1999(2)	06/30/2009	Common Stock	2,
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy-DV003990)	\$ 8.0206	06/30/1999(2)	06/30/2009	Common Stock	9
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy-SI701806)	\$ 9.3614	06/30/2000(2)	06/30/2010	Common Stock	11,
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy-DV003986)	\$ 9.3614	06/30/2000(2)	06/30/2010	Common Stock	5,1
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy-T0700756)	\$ 9.3614	06/30/2000(2)	06/30/2010	Common Stock	2,0
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy-DV003983)	\$ 9.3614	06/30/2000(2)	06/30/2010	Common Stock	9
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy-SI601806)	\$ 9.3614	06/30/2000(2)	06/30/2010	Common Stock	11,
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy-DV003994)	\$ 9.3614	06/30/2000(2)	06/30/2010	Common Stock	5,1
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy-T0600755)	\$ 9.3614	06/30/2000(2)	06/30/2010	Common Stock	2,
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy-DV003989)	\$ 9.3614	06/30/2000(2)	06/30/2010	Common Stock	9
	\$ 10.1707	06/29/2001(2)	06/29/2011		7,

Non-Qualified Common Stock Option Stock (right to

buy-SF702508)

Non-Qualified

buy-DV003979)

Stock Option \$ 10.1707

 $06/29/2001\underline{^{(2)}} \quad 06/29/2011$ 

Common Stock

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

TURNER JIM L

JLT BEVERAGES L.P.

5950 SHERRY LANE STE 370

DALLAS, TX 75225

# **Signatures**

Jim L. Turner 01/03/2008

\*\*Signature of 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) These are restricted shares issued under Dean's 2007 Stock Incentive Plan in payment of fees owed for services as an independent director. All such shares are subject to vesting in three increments, with the first vesting occurring as of the date the shares were issued.
- (2) The options were automatically granted under the Issuer's 1997 Amended and Restated Stock Option and Restricted Stock Plan, and are fully vested and immediately exercisable upon grant.

#### **Remarks:**

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