

Owens B Craig
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 Owens B Craig

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O DEAN FOODS
 COMPANY, 2711 NORTH
 HASKELL AVENUE, SUITE 3400

(Street)

DALLAS, TX 75204

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 DEAN FOODS CO [DF]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
 02/24/2019

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

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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)
			Code	V	Amount or (D) Price		
Common Stock	02/24/2019		M		2,168 (1)	A	\$ 0 54,528 D
Common Stock	02/26/2019		M		2,074 (2)	A	\$ 0 56,602 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. Pr Deriv Secur (Instr	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units ⁽³⁾ ⁽⁴⁾	\$ 0	02/24/2019		M	2,168 ₍₁₎	⁽⁴⁾	⁽⁴⁾	Common Stock	2,168 ₍₁₎
Restricted Stock Units ⁽³⁾ ⁽⁵⁾	\$ 0	02/26/2019		M	2,074 ₍₂₎	⁽⁵⁾	⁽⁵⁾	Common Stock	2,074 ₍₂₎

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
Owens B Craig C/O DEAN FOODS COMPANY 2711 NORTH HASKELL AVENUE, SUITE 3400 DALLAS, TX 75204	X

Signatures

Kay F. Stockler
Attorney-in-Fact 02/26/2019

 **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) The Reporting Person received a total of 2,168 shares of Common Stock of the Issuer pursuant to the vesting of restricted stock units (RSUs).
- (2) The Reporting Person received a total of 2,074 shares of Common Stock of the Issuer pursuant to the vesting of RSUs.
- (3) RSUs convert into common stock on a one-for-one basis.
- (4) These RSUs were awarded on 2/24/2017. The award vests annually, on a pro rata basis, over a 3-year period.
- (5) These RSUs were awarded on 2/26/2016. The award vests annually, on a pro rata basis, over a 3-year period.

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