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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Joyce Stephen P

(Middle) (Last) (First)

450 NORTH BRAND BOULEVARD, 7TH FLOOR

(Street)

(State)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Dine Brands Global, Inc. [DIN]

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

04/06/2016

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

Chief Executive Officer

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

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

GLENDALE, CA 91203

(City)

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3)

Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code (Instr. 8)

Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Code V Amount (D) Price

(A)

5. Amount of Owned

Securities Beneficially Following Reported Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial (I)

Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

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

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

any

4. 5. Number of **Transaction**Derivative Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amo Underlying Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)

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	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
RESTRICTED STOCK UNITS (DIVIDEND EQUIVALENT RIGHTS)	(1)	04/06/2018		A	1,599.518	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	COMMON STOCK
RESTRICTED STOCK UNITS (DIVIDEND EQUIVALENT RIGHTS)	(2)	04/06/2018		A	685.508	<u>(2)</u>	(2)	COMMON STOCK
RESTRICTED STOCK UNITS (DIVIDEND EQUIVALENT RIGHTS)	(3)	04/06/2018		A	18.676	(3)	(3)	COMMON STOCK
RESTRICTED STOCK UNITS (DIVIDEND EQUIVALENT RIGHTS)	<u>(4)</u>	04/06/2018		A	11.507	<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	COMMON STOCK

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Joyce Stephen P 450 NORTH BRAND BOULEVARD, 7TH FLOOR GLENDALE, CA 91203	X		Chief Executive Officer			

Signatures

/s/ Joanne Wu as attorney-in-fact for Stephen P.
Joyce 04/10/2018

**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) As previously reported, the reporting person was granted 175,000 restricted stock units on September 12, 2017 that will vest on February 1, 2021 to the extent the reporting person achieves certain performance criteria and subject to the reporting person's continued service with the Issuer through the vesting date. Dividend equivalent rights accrued on the previously reported restricted stock units and will vest proportionately with the restricted stock units to which they relate. Each dividend equivalent right is the economic equivalent of one share

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of common stock.

- As previously reported, the reporting person was granted 75,000 restricted stock units on September 12, 2017 that will vest on February 1, 2021, subject to the reporting person's continued service with the Issuer through the vesting date. Dividend equivalent rights accrued on the previously reported restricted stock units and will vest proportionately with the restricted stock units to which they relate. Each dividend equivalent right is the economic equivalent of one share of common stock.
- As previously reported, the reporting person was granted restricted stock units on March 3, 2017 that will vest on March 3, 2020.

 (3) Dividend equivalent rights accrued on the previously reported restricted stock units and will vest proportionately with the restricted stock units to which they relate. Each dividend equivalent right is the economic equivalent of one share of common stock.
 - As previously reported, the reporting person was granted restricted stock units on February 26, 2016 that will vest on February 26, 2019.
- (4) Dividend equivalent rights accrued on the previously reported restricted stock units and will vest proportionately with the restricted stock units to which they relate. Each dividend equivalent right is the economic equivalent of one share of common stock.

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