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## FORM 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading HAYWOOD GEORGE WEAVER Issuer Symbol DENNYS CORP [DENN] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction X\_ Director (Month/Day/Year) 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify DENNY'S CORPORATION, 203 08/08/2016 below) EAST MAIN STREET (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

SPARTANBURG, SC 29319

(State)

(Zip)

(City)

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

1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if	3. Transactio	4. Securities onAcquired (A) or	5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership Form: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect
(Instr. 3)	•	any	Code	Disposed of (D)	Beneficially	(D) or Indirect	
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	) Owned	(l)	Ownership
					Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
				(4)	Reported		
				(A)	Transaction(s)		
				or	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
			Code V	Amount (D)	Price (Institution I)		

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. Number of	6. Date Exercisable and	7. Title and Amount of	8.
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	orDerivative	Expiration Date	Underlying Securities	D
Security	or Exercise		anv	Code	Securities	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 3 and 4)	Se

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr.		Acquired Disposed (Instr. 3, 5)	d of (D)					(
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Deferred Stock Units	(1)	08/08/2016		D			9,285	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	9,285	
Deferred Stock Units	<u>(2)</u>	08/08/2016		A		9,285		(2)	(2)	Common Stock	9,285	

## **Reporting Owners**

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HAYWOOD GEORGE WEAVER DENNY'S CORPORATION 203 EAST MAIN STREET SPARTANBURG, SC 29319



## **Signatures**

J. Scott Melton for George W. Haywood

08/09/2016 Date

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

### **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).
- Deferred Stock Units, which were granted under the Denny's Corporation 2012 Omnibus Incentive Plan on May 24, 2016, and vest 100% (1) and convert to common stock of the Issuer on May 24, 2017, were cancelled and rescinded. The reporting person received a replacement award of deferred stock units, which is described in Footnote (2).
- Deferred Stock Units, which were granted under the Denny's Corporation 2012 Omnibus Incentive Plan on August 8, 2016, and vest and convert to common stock of the Issuer in three equal annual installments beginning on August 8, 2017, were granted as a replacement award in connection with the cancellation and rescission of the deferred stock units described in Footnote (1).

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