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

FORM 4

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

() Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16.

Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instructions 1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person

Mark L. Whitehouse

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Suite 2212

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- 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol The Dial Corporation (DL) $\label{eq:Diabeth} % \begin{array}{c} \text{Trading Symbol} \\ \text{The Dial Corporation} \end{array}$
- 3. IRS or Social Security Number of Reporting Person (Voluntary)
- 4. Statement for Month/Day/Year 1/9/2003
- 5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Day/Year)
- 6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)
 () Director () 10% Owner (X) Officer (give title below) () Other
 (specify below)

Senior Vice President-Innovation & Air Fresheners

- 7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)
 - (X) Form filed by One Reporting Person
 - () Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

Table I Non-Deri	vative	Securit	ies	Acqui	red, Dispose	ed of, or	Ben	eficiall	y Owned
1. Title of Security	Trans action		Tra act 	ns ion 	Securities or Disposed Amount	d of (D)	/		5.Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Trans(s)
The Dial Corporation Common Stock							1		763
The Dial Corporation Common Stock (401(F		 	I 	V 8 	.482	A 	 		4464.934 1

Table II	Derivativ	e Securi	tites A	cquired	, Dispose	d of, o	or Beneficially	Owned	
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Derivative	version	Trans-	Deemed	۱ Trans-	rivativ	e Secu	cisable and	of Underlying	of
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	Price of	.	ution		posed o	f(D)	Day/Year)		rit
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	tive	1	1			A/	Exer- ation	Title and Number	
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	rity 	Day/ Year)			Amount		ble 		
Options - ht to Buy	Rig 14.8438 						2	03/01 The Dial Cor /2010 poration Com mon Stock	
Options - ht to Buy	Rig 12.6563 					 	2	08/02 The Dial Cor /2010 poration Com mon Stock	
Options - ht to Buy	Rig 11.1531 						3	08/17 The Dial Cor /2004 poration Com mon Stock	
Options - ht to Buy	Rig 11.9108 						3	08/16 The Dial Cor /2005 poration Com mon Stock	
Options - ht to Buy	Rig 12.8750 					 	4	09/24 The Dial Cor /2006 poration Com mon Stock	
	Rig 15.6300 						4	06/30 The Dial Cor /2007 poration Com mon Stock	
Options - ht to Buy	Rig 29.7188 						5 	08/04 The Dial Cor /2009 poration Com mon Stock	
Options - ht to Buy	Rig 24.2200 						5 	12/31 The Dial Cor /2009 poration Com mon Stock	
Options-Ri To Buy	ight 13.4688 						2	01/25 The Dial Cor /2011 poration Com mon Stock	
Phantom St Units	cock 1-for-1					 		The Dial Cor poration Com mon Stock	
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Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Between October 1, 2002 and January 8, 2003, the reporting person acquired 8.
- $48\ \, {\rm shares}$ of The Dial Corporation Common Stock under The Dial Corporation $401(k)\ \, {\rm Savings\ Plan.}$
- 2. Granted pursuant to the 1996 Stock Incentive Plan. 1/3 of the options vest on the first anniversary of the grant date; 1/3 vest after the second anniversary of the grant date; and the final 1/3 vest after the third anniversary of the grant date. All op
- tions vest in the event of a change in control. Each option contains a Change in Control Cash-Out whereby, in the event of a change in control, the participant may elect to surrender all or part of the stock option to the

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Corporation and to receive cash i

3. Granted pursuant to the 1996 Stock Incentive Plan. The Corporation may permit a participant exercising an option to surrender stock to which participant is entitled as a result of such exercise to satisfy a tax withholding requirement. 50% of the opt

ions are exercisable one year after grant and 100% exercisable two years after grant.

4. Granted pursuant to the 1996 Stock Incentive Plan. Options vest 1/3 after the stock price increases 33% over the grant price, 1/3 after the stock price increases 66 2/3%, and the final 1/3 after the stock price doubles with no vesting in less than 12

months. All options vest in the event of a change in control or 5 years from the date of grant. Each option contains a Change in Control Cash-Out whereby, in the event of a change in control, the participant may elect to surrender all or part of the sto

ock granted under the stock option.

5. Granted pursuant to the 1996 Stock Incentive Plan. Options vest 1/3 after the stock price increases 20% over grant price, but only if 1 year has passed since grant date; 1/3 after the stock price increases 40%, but only if 2 years have passed since gra

nt date; and the final 1/3 after the stock price increases 60%, but only if 3 years have passed since grant date. All options vest in the event of a change in control or 5 years from the grant date. Each option contains a Change in Control Cash-Out whereb

exercisable price per share of stock under the stock option multiplied by the number of shares of stock granted under the stock option.

6. Between October 16, 2002 and January 9, 2003, the reporting person acquired 18.68 phantom stock units at a price of \$20.43 as a result of the salary deferral paid under the Corporation's Management Deferred Compensation Plan. SIGNATURE OF REPORTING PERSON

Mark L. Whitehouse

/s/ Dianne B. Stoehr Attorney-In-Fact