Thamodaran Dhamu R. Form 4/A May 23, 2013

## FORM 4

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Thamodaran Dhamu R.  (Last) (First) (Middle)			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SMITHFIELD FOODS INC [SFD] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)				
200 COMMERCE STREET			(Month/Day/Year) 05/17/2013				Director 10% Owner Sofficer (give title Other (specify below) below)  Executive Vice President				
SMITHFIEI	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) 05/21/2013				Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed b	_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting					
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Securities A	Acquired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	ally Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Dat (Month/Day/Year)	) Execution any	med on Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Security onAcquired Disposed (Instr. 3,	(A) or of (D)	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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
common stock, par value \$.50							7,369.27 (1)	I	shares held in 401k of reporting person		
common stock, par value \$.50							385.74 (1)	I	shares held in 401k of reporting persons's		

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	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		4.	5. onNumber	6. Date Exerc Expiration D		7. Titl		8. Price of Derivative	9. Nu Deriv
Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Tear)	any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	of	(Month/Day/		Under Securi	rlying	Security (Instr. 5)	Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Thamodaran Dhamu R. 200 COMMERCE STREET SMITHFIELD, VA 23460

**Executive Vice President** 

## **Signatures**

/s/ Michael H. Cole, as attorney-in-fact

05/23/2013

\*\*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) This Form 4A is being filed to correct the number of shares held in the 401(k) of the reporting person and the number of shares held in the 401(k) of the reporting person's spouse.

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