

RICE PAUL
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
RICE PAUL

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
FRESH DEL MONTE PRODUCE INC [FDP]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
12/18/2012

___ Director ___ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)
SVP, North America Operations

C/O FRESH DEL MONTE PRODUCE INC., P.O. BOX 149222

(Street)

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

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

CORAL GABLES, FL 33114

(City) (State) (Zip)

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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
| | | | | (A) or (D) | Price | | |
| | | | | Code | V | Amount | |
| Ordinary Shares | 12/18/2012 | | M | A | 7,653 | \$ 21.72 | D |
| Ordinary Shares | 12/18/2012 | | M | A | 10,000 | \$ 22.25 | D |
| Ordinary Shares | 12/18/2012 | | S | D | 17,653 | \$ 26.79 | 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) | Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|----------------------------|
| Employee Options (Right to Buy) | \$ 21.72 | 12/18/2012 | | M | 7,653 | <u>(1)</u> 07/31/2019 | Ordinary Shares | 7,653 |
| Employee Options (Right to Buy) | \$ 22.25 | 12/18/2012 | | M | 10,000 | <u>(2)</u> 07/30/2018 | Ordinary Shares | 10,000 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|-------------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| RICE PAUL C/O FRESH DEL MONTE PRODUCE INC. P.O. BOX 149222 CORAL GABLES, FL 33114 | | | SVP, North America Operations | |

Signatures

/s/ Bruce Jordan, Attorney-in-fact for Paul Rice 12/20/2012

__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 option is currently exercisable with respect to 7,653 shares and will become exercisable with respect to an additional 10,000 shares on 7/31/2013.

(2) The option is currently exercisable.

Remarks:

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Option exercises and share sales executed pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 plan.

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