

ADAMS FRED R JR  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
ADAMS FRED R JR

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
CAL MAINE FOODS INC [CALM]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
C/O CM FOODS, PO BOX 2960

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
12/18/2008

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

Chief Executive Officer

(Street)  
JACKSON, MS 39207

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

(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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
|                                 |                                      |  |                                | (A) or (D)  | Price   |  |                                   |
|                                 |                                      |  |                                | Code  | V   | Amount   |                                   |
| Class A Common Stock            | 12/18/2008                           |  | G                              | 900   | <u>D</u><br><u>(1)</u>  | \$ 0   | 1,798,476 D <u>(2)</u>            |
| Common Stock                    |                                      |  |                                |   |   | 452,517  | I <u>(3)</u> By ESOP              |
| Common Stock                    | 12/18/2008                           |  | G                              | 47,300  | <u>D</u><br><u>(4)</u>  | \$ 0   | 5,652,535 D <u>(5)</u>            |
| Common Stock                    |                                      |  |                                |   |   | 570,173  | I <u>(6)</u> <u>(7)</u> By Wife   |

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) | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 5) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|--|--|
|  |  |                                      |  | 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 |
| ADAMS FRED R JR<br>C/O CM FOODS<br>PO BOX 2960<br>JACKSON, MS 39207 | X             | X         | Chief Executive Officer |       |

## Signatures

/s/ Peter E. Panarites,  
Attorney-in-fact

12/22/2008

\_\_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) Gift of Class A Common Stock to Adolphus B. Baker.
- (2) Share balance of Class A Common Stock owned directly by Fred R. Adams, Jr.
- (3) Share balance of Common Stock held in ESOP.
- (4) Gifts of Common Stock from the direct ownership account of Fred R. Adams, Jr.
- (5) Share balance of Common Stock owned directly by Fred R. Adams, Jr.
- (6) Share balance of Common Stock owned by Jean Reed Adams.

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The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of all securities held by his wife, Jean Reed Adams, directly or indirectly, and this (7) report should not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner for purposes of Section 16 or any other purpose.

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