

DOLE FOOD CO INC  
Form 4  
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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 \*  
**MURDOCK DAVID H**

(Last) (First) (Middle)

**C/O DOLE FOOD COMPANY,  
INC., ONE DOLE DRIVE**

(Street)

**WESTLAKE VILLAGE, CA 91362**

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**DOLE FOOD CO INC [DOLE]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
**04/01/2013**

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
**Chairman & CEO**

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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**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)
			Code	V	Amount or (D) Price		
Common Stock	04/01/2013		A		45,000 (1) \$ 0 (2)	I	Trust (3)
Common Stock	04/01/2013		F		19,383 (4) 10.69 (5)	I	Trust (3)
Common Stock					11,784,914	I	Castle and Cooke Holdings, Inc. (6)

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 Owned Following Transaction (Instr. 6)
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## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
MURDOCK DAVID H C/O DOLE FOOD COMPANY, INC. ONE DOLE DRIVE WESTLAKE VILLAGE, CA 91362	X	X	Chairman & CEO	
David H. Murdock Living Trust, dated May 28, 1986, as amended C/O DOLE FOOD COMPANY, INC. ONE DOLE DRIVE WESTLAKE VILLAGE, CA 91362		X		

## Signatures

/s/ Jeffrey Conner, attorney-in-fact for David H. Murdock	04/12/2013
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
/s/ Jeffrey Conner, attorney-in-fact for David H. Murdock Living Trust, dated May 28, 2986, as amended	04/12/2013
**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).

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45,000 performance shares vested in full at target number of shares upon the 4/1/2013 closing of the sale of the Company's worldwide packaged foods and Asia fresh businesses to ITOCHU Corporation.

- (2) Performance share awards were granted as compensation for services.
- (3) These shares are owned directly by the Trust and indirectly by Mr. Murdock as sole trustee and beneficiary of the Trust
- (4) 19,383 of the performance shares that vested were returned to the Company to cover withholding tax.
- (5) The closing price of the Company's common stock on 4/1/2013, \$10.69 per share, was used to calculate the number of shares to be returned to the Company to cover withholding tax.
- (6) These shares are owned directly by Castle and Cooke Holdings, Inc. and indirectly by Mr. Murdock and the Trust.

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