

KLAUSNER RONALD D  
 Form 4  
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 SEC Form 4

<p style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold; font-size: 1.2em;">FORM 4</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).</p>	<p><b>UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION</b>                  Washington, D.C. 20549</p> <p><b>STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP</b></p> <p>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</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">OMB APPROVAL</p> <hr style="border: 1px solid black;"/> <p>OMB Number: 3235-0287                  Expires: January 31, 2005                  Estimated average burden hours per response. . . . . 0.5</p>	
<p>1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*</p> <p><b>Klausner, Ronald D.</b></p> <hr style="border: 0.5px solid black;"/> <p style="text-align: center;">(Last) (First) (Middle)</p> <p><b>103 JFK Parkway</b></p> <hr style="border: 0.5px solid black;"/> <p style="text-align: center;">(Street)</p> <p><b>Short Hills, NJ 07078</b></p> <hr style="border: 0.5px solid black;"/> <p style="text-align: center;">(City) (State) (Zip)</p>	<p>2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol</p> <p><b>The Dun &amp; Bradstreet Corporation DNB</b></p> <hr style="border: 0.5px solid black;"/> <p>3. I.R.S. Identification Number of Reporting Person, if an entity (voluntary)</p>	<p>4. Statement for (Month/Day/Year)</p> <p><b>03/20/2003 (1)</b></p> <hr style="border: 0.5px solid black;"/> <p>5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Day/Year)</p>	<p>6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify below)</p> <p>Description <b>Senior Vice President-U.S. Sales</b></p> <hr style="border: 0.5px solid black;"/> <p>7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person  <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person</p>

<b>Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned</b>										
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	A/D	Price			
<b>Common Stock</b>	<b>03/20/2003</b>		<b>M</b>		<b>1,010</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>\$10.9861</b>		<b>D</b>	
<b>Common Stock</b>	<b>03/20/2003</b>		<b>M</b>		<b>1,942</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>\$9.5301</b>		<b>D</b>	
<b>Common Stock</b>	<b>03/20/2003</b>		<b>M</b>		<b>2,026</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>\$11.2508</b>		<b>D</b>	
<b>Common Stock</b>	<b>03/20/2003</b>		<b>M</b>		<b>5,650</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>\$10.5948</b>		<b>D</b>	
<b>Common Stock</b>	<b>03/20/2003</b>		<b>M</b>		<b>576</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>\$10,6239</b>		<b>D</b>	

Common Stock	03/20/2003		M		3,577	A	\$11.0605		D	
Common Stock	03/20/2003		M		4,791	A	\$14.0731		D	
Common Stock	03/20/2003		M		1,583	A	\$14.4083		D	
Common Stock	03/20/2003		M		883	A	\$14.0381	35,437	D	
								1642.742	I	By spouse
								2,673.943	I	Held in ESPP (2)
								2,026.315	I	Held in PP/IP (3)

**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(DE) and Expiration Date(ED) (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 For Reporting Transaction (Instr. 6)
				Code	V	A	D	DE	ED	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$10.9861	03/20/2003		M			1,010	12/15/1996 (4)	12/14/2003	Common Stock	1,010		
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$9.5301	03/20/2003		M			1,942	12/21/1996 (5)	12/20/2004	Common Stock	1,942		
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$11.2508	03/20/2003		M			2,026	12/20/1996 (6)	12/19/2005	Common Stock	2,026		
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$10.5948	03/20/2003		M			5,650	11/15/1997 (6)	11/15/2006	Common Stock	5,650		
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$10.6239	03/20/2003		M			576	12/18/1997 (6)	12/18/2006	Common Stock	576		
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$11.0605	03/20/2003		M			3,577	11/01/1998	12/23/2006	Common Stock	3,577		
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$14.0731	03/20/2003		M			4,791	12/22/1998 (6)	12/22/2007	Common Stock	4,791		
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$14.4083	03/20/2003		M			1,583	12/21/2002 (5)	12/21/2009	Common Stock	1,583		

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Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$14.0381	03/20/2003		M		883	01/19/2003 (5)	01/19/2010	Common Stock	883		
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**Explanation of Responses:**

- (1) As announced by the Issuer on March 18, 2003, the Reporting Person will be terminating employment with the Issuer effective March 31, 2003.
- (2) Held in ESPP (Employee Stock Purchase Plan) as of 3/10/03 (latest available date).
- (3) Held in PP/IP (Profit Participation/Investment Plan) as of 03/14/03 (latest available date).
- (4) One-half of the option vested each year beginning on the date indicated.
- (5) The option vests in three equal annual installments beginning on the date indicated.
- (6) One-fourth of the option vested each year beginning on the date indicated.

**By:**

/s/ Ronald D. Klausner

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

**Date:**

03/24/2003

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Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

\* 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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