BOSTON BEER CO INC

Form 4

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * ROPER MARTIN F

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

(Middle)

BOSTON BEER CO INC [SAM]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Last) (First) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

(Check all applicable)

C/O THE BOSTON BEER COMPANY, INC., 75 ARLINGTON 03/27/2006

X Director 10% Owner Other (specify X_ Officer (give title

below)

President, C.E.O., Treasurer

STREET

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

BOSTON, MA 02166

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-l	Derivative	e Secu	rities Acquii	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	omr Dispo (Instr. 3,	esed of 4 and (A) or	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)
Class A Common	03/27/2006		Code V M	Amount 4,000	(D)	Price \$ 17.6875	10,344	D	
Class A Common	03/27/2006		S	100	D	\$ 27.14	10,244	D	
Class A Common	03/27/2006		S	700	D	\$ 27.1	9,544	D	
Class A Common	03/27/2006		S	100	D	\$ 26.9	9,444	D	
Class A Common	03/27/2006		S	100	D	\$ 26.81	9,344	D	

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Class A Common	03/27/2006	S	200	D	\$ 26.75	9,144	D
Class A Common	03/27/2006	S	100	D	\$ 26.74	9,044	D
Class A Common	03/27/2006	S	100	D	\$ 26.72	8,944	D
Class A Common	03/27/2006	S	100	D	\$ 26.71	8,844	D
Class A Common	03/27/2006	S	200	D	\$ 26.7	8,644	D
Class A Common	03/27/2006	S	100	D	\$ 26.69	8,544	D
Class A Common	03/27/2006	S	200	D	\$ 26.66	8,344	D
Class A Common	03/27/2006	S	100	D	\$ 26.65	8,244	D
Class A Common	03/27/2006	S	100	D	\$ 26.63	8,144	D
Class A Common	03/27/2006	S	100	D	\$ 26.57	8,044	D
Class A Common	03/27/2006	S	100	D	\$ 26.56	7,944	D
Class A Common	03/27/2006	S	200	D	\$ 26.55	7,744	D
Class A Common	03/27/2006	S	100	D	\$ 26.54	7,644	D
Class A Common	03/27/2006	S	300	D	\$ 26.53	7,344	D
Class A COmmon	03/27/2006	S	100	D	\$ 26.52	7,244	D
Class A Common	03/27/2006	S	500	D	\$ 26.51	6,744	D
Class A Common	03/27/2006	S	400	D	\$ 26.5	6,344	D

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

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 $\label{thm:convergence} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \end{tabular}$

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number action Derivative Securities 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		vative Expiration Date ies (Month/Day/Year) ed ed of		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 17.6875	03/27/2006		M		4,000	01/01/2006	03/31/2006	Class A Common	4,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
Di	irector	10% Owner	Officer	Other			

ROPER MARTIN F C/O THE BOSTON BEER COMPANY, INC. 75 ARLINGTON STREET BOSTON, MA 02166

X President, C.E.O., Treasurer

Signatures

Martin F. Roper 03/29/2006

**Signature of Person Date

**Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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