KOCH C JAMES

Form 4

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November 02,	2018
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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

BOSTON BEER CO INC [SAM]

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Issuer

23,000

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obligations

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

Symbol

may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

(Mr. data)

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

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Common

Class A

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

	COMPANY	(First) (1 GOSTON BEER Y, ONE DESIGN PLACE, SUITE 85	(Month/I 11/01/2	of Earliest Transaction Day/Year) 2018		Director Officer (given below)		0% Owner Other (specify
(Street) 4. If Ar				endment, Date Original onth/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 Person			
	(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	ole I - Non-Derivative	Securities Acc	quired, Disposed	of, or Benefic	ially Owned
	1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securiti Transaction(A) or Dis Code (Instr. 3, 4 (Instr. 8) Code V Amount		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	11/01/2018		C 100,000	A (1)	128,372	D	
	Class A Common					44,248	I	By LLC managed by spouse
	Class A					23,486	I	Custodian for children

under **UGTMA**

By

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Common			Foundation managed by Reporting Person			
Class A Common	5,000	I	By Trust as Trustee			
Class A Common	3,656	I	By spouse as custodian for children under UGTMA			
Class A Common	2,532	I	By spouse in trust for children			
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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	isable and	7. Titl	e and	8. Price of
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transact	ionNumber	Expiration Da	ite	Amou	nt of	Derivative
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	lying	Security
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Securi	ties	(Instr. 5)
	Derivative				Securities			(Instr.	3 and 4)	
	Security				Acquired					
	-				(A) or					
					Disposed					
					of (D)					
					(Instr. 3,					
					4, and 5)					
									Amount	
						Date	Expiration		or	
						Exercisable Date	*	Title Number	Number	
									of	
				Code V	I (A) (D)				Shares	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

KOCH C JAMES C/O THE BOSTON BEER COMPANY ONE DESIGN CENTER PLACE, SUITE 850 BOSTON, MA 02210

Chairman

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Signatures

Michael G. Andrews under POA for the benefit of Koch C. James

11/02/2018

**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).
- The Reporting Person converted 100,000 shares of Class B Common Stock, resulting in the acquisition of 100,000 shares of Class A
- (1) Common Stock. The Class B Common Stock is convertible into Class A Common Stock at any time on a one-for-one basis, and has no expiration date.

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