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| (Print or Type | e Responses) | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> Tanner Gregg A | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BOSTON BEER CO INC [SAM] | | | | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | (Check all applicable) | | | | | |
| (Last) (First) (Middle) | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) | | | | _X_ Director 10% Owner | | | | | |
| INC., ONI | TON BEER COM E DESIGN CENT SUITE 850 | | 05/27/2 | 2015 | | | Officer (give below) | e titleOt below) | her (specify | | | |
| (Street) 4. | | | | endment, D | ate Origina | al | 6. Individual or J | oint/Group Fil | ing(Check | | | |
| | | | Filed(Mo | onth/Day/Yea | r) | | Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by | One Reporting I | Person | | | |
| BOSTON | , MA 02210 | | | | | | Form filed by M Person | More than One F | Reporting | | | |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | Tab | ole I - Non-l | Derivative | Securities A | cquired, Disposed o | f, or Beneficia | ally Owned | | | |
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | ansaction Date 2A. Deemed th/Day/Year) Execution D any (Month/Day | | 3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8) | Disposed | (A) or of (D) | SecuritiesIBeneficially(Owned(| 5. Ownership Form: Direct D) or Indirect I) Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | | | |
| | | | | Code V | Amount | or (D) Price | (Instr. 3 and 4) | | | | | |
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| | Tab | | | | | sposed of, or convertible s | Beneficially Owned securities) | | | | | |
| 1. Title of Derivative | | saction Date /Day/Year) | | | 4. Transact | | 6. Date Exercisable Expiration Date | | . Title and Amount of Inderlying Securities | | | |

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| Security (Instr. 3) | or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | | any (Month/Day/Year) | Code (Instr. 3 | 8) | | | (Month/Day/Y | ear) | (Instr. 3 and 4) | | Sec (Ins |
|--------------------------------------|---|------------|-------------------------|-------------------|----|-----|-----|---------------------|--------------------|-------------------|--|-------------|
| | | | | Code | V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 262.25 | 05/27/2015 | | А | | 940 | | 05/27/2015 | 05/26/2025 | Class A Common | 940 | |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | | |
|---|---------------|------------|---------|-------|--|--|--|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | | |
| Tanner Gregg A THE BOSTON BEER COMPANY, INC. ONE DESIGN CENTER PLACE, SUITE 850 BOSTON, MA 02210 | Х | | | | | | |
| Signatures | | | | | | | |
| Kathleen H. Wade under POA for benefit of Gra Tanner | egg A. | 05/28/2015 | | | | | |
| <u></u> Signature of Reporting Person | | Date | | | | | |
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* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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