**KOCH C JAMES** 

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** 

Washington, D.C. 20549

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * KOCH C JAMES			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> 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	( ==== an approacte)			
C/O THE BOSTON BEER COMPANY, ONE DESIGN CENTER PLACE, SUITE 850			(Month/Day/Year) 12/06/2018	Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specification) Chairman			
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
BOSTON, M	A 02210		Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-I	Derivative	Secur	ities A	equired, Disposed	l 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. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)  (A) or		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	12/06/2018		Code V $S_{\underline{(1)}}$	Amount 525	(D)	Price \$ 275	107,655 (2)	D	
Class A Common							44,248	I	By LLC managed by spouse
Class A Common							23,486	I	Custodian for children under UGTMA
Class A							23,000	I	Ву

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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 Exer	cisable and	7. Titl	le and	8. Price of
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transac	ctionNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amou	ınt of	Derivative
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				Code	V (A) (D	)			Shares	

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

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

12/07/2018

\*\*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).
- (1) The transactions reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the Reporting Person on October 31, 2018.
- (2) The shares reported include 654 shares of restricted stock subject to vesting conditions.

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