# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K
CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): February 22, 2021

# The Boston Beer Company, Inc.

(Exact name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

Massachusetts
(State or Other Jurisdiction
of Incorporation)

001-14092

(Commission File Number)

04-3284048 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

One Design Center Place, Suite 850, Boston, MA (Address of Principal Executive Offices)

02210 (Zip Code)

Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code: (617) 368-5000

 $\begin{tabular}{ll} Not \ Applicable \\ (Former \ Name \ or \ Former \ Address, if \ Changed \ Since \ Last \ Report) \\ \end{tabular}$ 

	k the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing wing provisions:	is intended to simultaneously satis	fy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the	
	Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 und	ler the Securities Act (17 CFR 230	).425)	
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	Pre-commencement communications pursuant to l	Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange	Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))	
Secu	rities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act	t:		
	Title of each class	Trading Symbol(s)	Name of each exchange on which registered	
	Class A Common Stock	SAM	NYSE	
Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§ 230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§ 240.12b-2 of this chapter).				
Emerging growth company $\square$				
If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act. $\Box$				

#### Item 8.01 Other Events.

During the period from February 22 to March 5, 2021, the following directors and officers of the Company entered into individual sales plans pursuant to Rule 10b5-1 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, for trading in shares of the Company's Class A Common Stock: Chairman C. James Koch, Sr. Vice President of Supply Chain Quincy Troupe, and Chief People Officer Carolyn O'Boyle. Additionally, the Valette Family Revocable Trust entered into a Rule 10b5-1 Plan; Director Jean-Michel Valette is the Donor and Trustee of this Trust, which is for the benefit of himself and his spouse.

The aggregate number of shares that may be sold pursuant to these 10b5-1 plans is 211,220 shares. The purpose of each of these 10b5-1 plans is to provide liquidity and investment diversification. Once executed, transactions under each 10b5-1 plan will be disclosed publicly through Form 4 and/or Form 144 filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission to the extent applicable.

## Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

1	(J)	<b>Exhibits</b>	
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Exhibit Number	Description
104	Cover Page Interactive Data File (embedded within Inline XBRL document).
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## **SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

Date: March 9, 2021

The Boston Beer Company, Inc.

By: /s/ David A. Burwick

Name: David A. Burwick

Title: President & Chief Executive Officer