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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP**

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 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

<b>1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*</b> Grinnell David L.  (Last) (First) (Middle) C/O THE BOSTON BEER COMPANY, INC., ONE DESIGN CENTER PLACE, SUITE 850  (Street) BOSTON MA 02210  (City) (State) (Zip)	<b>2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol</b> BOSTON BEER CO INC [SAM]	<b>5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer</b> (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) Vice President of Brewing
	<b>3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)</b> 05/04/2015	
<b>4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)</b>		

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned										
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Class A Common	05/04/2015		M		1,200	A	\$ 24.95	6,100 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	
Class A Common	05/04/2015		M		1,000	A	\$ 35.98	7,100 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	
Class A Common	05/04/2015		S		120	D	\$ 246.52	6,980 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	
Class A Common	05/04/2015		S		1,500	D	\$ 247.48 <sup>(2)</sup>	5,480 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	
Class A Common	05/04/2015		S		400	D	\$ 249	5,080 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	
Class A Common	05/04/2015		S		300	D	\$ 250	4,780 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	

**Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned  
(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Class A Common Stock Option	\$ 24.95	05/04/2015		M			1,200	03/01/2007 <sup>(3)</sup>	12/31/2015	Class A Common	4,500	\$ 0	0	D	
Class A Common Stock Option	\$ 35.98	05/04/2015		M			1,000	03/01/2008 <sup>(4)</sup>	12/31/2016	Class A Common	2,500	\$ 0	0	D	

**Explanation of Responses:**

- The shares reported include 960 shares of restricted stock subject to vesting conditions.
- The price shown is the weighted average sale price for the transactions reported on this line. The range of sale prices for the 1,500 shares is from \$247.10 to \$248.00. The Filing Person will provide full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price upon request of the SEC, the Registrant, or a shareholder of the Registrant.
- The option exercised vested in five equal installments: The first on March 1, 2007 and the last on January 1, 2011.
- The option exercised vested in five equal installments: The first on March 1, 2008 and the last on January 1, 2012.

Kathleen H. Wade under  
POA for the benefit of David 05/06/2015  
Grinnell

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person                      Date

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

\* 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).

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