FORM 4/A

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and ROPER MAR | | Reporting Person [*] | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BOSTON BEER CO INC [SAM] | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer | | | | |
|--------------------------------------|---------------|--------------------------------|---|--|--------|--|--|--|
| (Last) C/O THE BO INC., 75 ARL | | (Middle) R COMPANY, REET | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/20/2005 | (Check all applicable) X Director 10% X Officer (give (spectrum) title below) below President and C.E.O. | cify | | | |
| (Street) BOSTON (City) | MA (State) | 02166 (Zip) | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 06/15/2005 | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Fili (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting | Person | | | |
| | | | | Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | | |

| 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 | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership |
| | | | Code | v | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | (Instr. 4) |
| Class A Common | 06/15/2005 | | М | | 10,000 | Α | \$ 9.53 | 10,000 | D | |
| Class A Common | 06/15/2005 | | S | | 2,000 | D | \$ 22.15 | 8,000 | D | |
| Class A Common | 06/15/2005 | | S | | 3,000 | D | \$ 22.16 | 5,000 | D | |
| Class A Common | 06/15/2005 | | S | | 1,100 | D | \$ 22.2 | 3,900 | D | |
| Class A Common | 06/15/2005 | | S | | 1,900 | D | \$ 22.25 | 2,000 | D | |
| Class A Common | 06/15/2005 | | S | | 1,500 | D | \$ 22.28 | 500 | D | |
| Class A Common | 06/15/2005 | | S | | 500 | D | \$ 22.3 | 0 | D | |

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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 Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | rcise (Month/Day/Year) if any Code Derivativ of ative (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Securities Acquired | | rivative curities quired or posed D) str. 3, | | | 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 | | | | |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 9.53 | 06/15/2005 | | D | | | 10,000 | 01/01/2003 | 10/19/2007 | Class A Common | 10,000 | \$ 9.53 | 160,640 | D | |

Explanation of Responses:

| Martin F. Roper | 06/20/2005 |
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| ** 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).

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