FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  Murphy Matthew Donal					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BOSTON BEER CO INC [ SAM ]									(Ch	eck all ap Dire	olicable) ctor	,		wner specify	
	STON BEE	rst) ER COMPANY, I TER PLACE, S				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/01/2023									-	^ belo			below)	specify
(Street) BOSTON (City)	N M	A	02210 (Zip)		4. l	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Line	Andividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable e)  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. Transac Date (Month/Date)					Execution Date		Code (Instr.							Secur Benef	cially I Following	Forn (D) o	n: Direct or Indirect nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
									Code	v	Amount	(A (D	) or )	Price	Trans	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				
Class A Common 03/01/						/2023				<b>A</b> <sup>(1)</sup>		387	387 A		\$0.00	) 2	2,980(2)		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. Deemee Execution I if any (Month/Day	Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr 8)		n of			6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)			8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	e derivati	ve es ially ng d tion(s)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Dat Exe	e ercisable		xpiration ate			Amount or Number of Shares					
March 1, 2023 Stock Option	\$323.8	03/01/2023			A		771		03/0	01/2025 <sup>(</sup>	3) 0	2/28/2033	Class Comm Stock	on	771	\$0.00	77	1	D	

## Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Represents a grant of Restricted Stock Units ("RSUs") under the Issuer's Restated Employee Equity Incentive Plan. The RSUs will vest in four equal installments over a four year period, provided that the Reporting Person remains employed by the Issuer as of the applicable vesting date, and subject to accelerated vesting in certain situations.
- 2. The shares reported include 1,150 shares of restricted stock subject to vesting conditions. A total of 452 RSUs and 50 ISPs vested on March 1, 2023.
- 3. The Performance-Based Stock Options were granted pursuant to the Issuer's EEIP on March 1, 2023. The extent to which the options become exercisable is dependent upon the Company achieving certain compounded annual growth rate targets based on net revenue growth in Fiscal Year 2024 over Fiscal Year 2022. The Compensation Committee will determine if the performance criteria have been achieved prior to March 1, 2025. If the performance criteria is achieved, the options vest in three equal installments on March 1 in the years 2025-2027, provided that the Reporting Person remains employed by the Company on the applicable vesting dates, and subject to accelerated vesting in certain situations.

## Remarks:

Matthew D. Murphy

03/02/2023

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- $^{\star}$  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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