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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

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <sup>*</sup> URICH WILLIAM F			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BOSTON BEER CO INC [SAM]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O THE BOSTON BEER COMPANY, INC., ONE DESIGN CENTER PLACE, SUITE 850			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/17/2014	(Check all applicable)         Director       10% Owner         X       Officer (give       Other (specify         title below)       below)         Chief Financial Officer				
(Street) BOSTON (City)	Street) BOSTON MA 02210		4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	<ul> <li>6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)</li> <li>X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person</li> </ul>				

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. Transac 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	11/17/2014		<b>M</b> <sup>(1)</sup>		5,000	Α	\$ 46.6	9,029 <sup>(2)</sup>	D			
Class A Common	11/17/2014		<b>S</b> <sup>(1)</sup>		2,086	D	\$ 258.5 <sup>(3)</sup>	6,943 <sup>(2)</sup>	D			
Class A Common	11/17/2014		<b>S</b> <sup>(1)</sup>		1,059	D	\$ 259.65 <sup>(4)</sup>	5,884 <sup>(2)</sup>	D			
Class A Common	11/17/2014		<b>S</b> <sup>(1)</sup>		480	D	\$ 260.59 (5)	5,404 <sup>(2)</sup>	D			
Class A Common	11/17/2014		S <sup>(1)</sup>		1,024	D	\$ 261.99 <sup>(6)</sup>	4,380 <sup>(2)</sup>	D			
Class A Common	11/17/2014		S <sup>(1)</sup>		351	D	\$ 262.67 (7)	4,029 <sup>(2)</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)				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 (1) (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	\$ 46.6	11/17/2014		м			5,000	03/01/2011 <sup>(8)</sup>	12/31/2019	Class A Common	5,000	\$ 0	10,200 <sup>(9)</sup>	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. The sales reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the Reporting Person on August 8, 2014 2. The shares reported include 702 shares of restricted stock subject to vesting conditions.

3. The price shown is the weighted average sale price for the transactions reported on this line. The range of sale prices for the 2,086 shares is from \$258.22 to \$259.21. 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.

4. The price shown is the weighted average sale price for the transactions reported on this line. The range of sale prices for the 1,059 shares is from \$259.24 to \$260.10. 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.

5. The price shown is the weighted average sale price for the transactions reported on this line. The range of sale prices for the 480 shares is from \$260.24 to \$260.99. 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.

6. The price shown is the weighted average sale price for the transactions reported on this line. The range of sale prices for the 1,024 shares is from \$2261.32 to \$262.30. 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.

7. The price shown is the weighted average sale price for the transactions reported on this line. The range of sale prices for the 351 shares is from \$262.59 to \$262.95. 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.

8. The contingent option vested in five equal installments: the first on March 1, 2011, and the last will vest on January 1, 2015.

9. An additional 3,800 shares will vest on January 1, 2015 provided that the Reporting Person remains employed by the Issuer on that date.

William F. Urich11/18/2014\*\* Signature of Reporting<br/>PersonDate

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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