HALL ROBERT H

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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

(Print or Type Responses)

(Last)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * HALL ROBERT H

(First)

(State)

(Middle)

(Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

BOSTON BEER CO INC [SAM]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 03/23/2010

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

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10% Owner

Other (specify

Estimated average

burden hours per

3235-0287

January 31,

2005

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(Check all applicable)

C/O THE BOSTON BEER COMPANY, ONE DESIGN **CENTER PLACE, SUITE 850**

> (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

V.P. of Brand Development

Applicable Line)

Director

X_ Officer (give title

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

below)

BOSTON, MA 02210

(City)

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivativ	e Secu	rities Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y 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)		sed of 4 and (A) or	` '	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)
Class A Common	03/23/2010		M	8,000	A	\$ 8.625	8,000	D	
Class A Common	03/23/2010		S	8,000	D	\$ 52.1182	0	D	

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

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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	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	Fransaction of Derivative Code Securities		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D))	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 8.625	03/23/2010		M	8,0	000	06/12/2005	06/12/2010	Class A Common	180,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Ketationsinps					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		

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V.P. of Brand Development

HALL ROBERT H
C/O THE BOSTON BEER COMPANY

ONE DESIGN CENTER PLACE, SUITE 850

BOSTON, MA 02210

Signatures

Helen F. Bornemann under POA for the benefit of Robert H.
Hall

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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