Fisher Cynthia A Form 4 November 30, 2017

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

Fisher Cynthia A

186 PARK STREET

(Last)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Issuer Symbol

BOSTON BEER CO INC [SAM]

(First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

> (Month/Day/Year) 11/28/2017

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify

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NEWTON.	, MA 02458	Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	ole I - Non-Derivative Securities A	cquired, 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. 4. Securities Acquire Transaction(A) or Disposed of Code (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or Code V Amount (D) Price	Securities Ownership Indirect Beneficially Form: Direct Beneficial Owned (D) or Ownership Following Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) Reported (Instr. 4) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	
Class A Common	11/28/2017		G(1) V 21,000 A \$0	23,000 I By Foundation managed by Reporting Person's Spouse	
Class A Common				44,248 I By LLC managed by Reporting Person (2)	
Class A Common				27,437 I By LLC managed by	

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			Reporting Person (3)
Class A Common	23,486	I	By spouse as custodian for children under UGTMA
Class A Common	3,656	I	Custodian for children under UGTMA
Class A Common	2,532	I	As trustee in trust for children
Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities bene	ficially 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	2.	3. Transaction Date		4.		5.	6. Date Exerc		7. Tit		8. Price of
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transa	ctio	Number	Expiration D	ate	Amou	ınt of	Derivative
Security	or Exercise		any	Code		of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Unde	rlying	Security
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8	8)	Derivative	e		Secur	rities	(Instr. 5)
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	Security					Acquired			`		
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						4, and 5)					
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										Amount	
							Date	Evaluation		or	
							Exercisable Date	Expiration	Title	Number	
								Date		of	
				Code	V	(A) (D)				Shares	

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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Signatures

Michael G. Andrews under POA for the benefit of Cynthia A. Fisher

11/30/2017

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
- This transaction is a Form 5 transaction being voluntarily reported early. On the Transaction Date, the Reporting Person's spouse gifted
 (1) 21,000 shares from his direct ownership into a foundation that the Reporting Person's spouse controls. The Reporting Person serves on the Board of Directors of the foundation, but disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares.
- (2) The shares are held by an LLC managed by the Reporting Person and owned by Trusts established for the benefit of the Reporting Person's children and the Reporting Person's spouse's children. The Reporting Person is the Trustee or Co-Trustee for each Trust.
- (3) The shares are held by West Summit Grand LLC, a limited liability company managed by the Reporting Person. The Reporting Person expressly disclaims beneficial ownership of the securities except to the extent of her pecuniary interest therein.

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