Beam Suntory Inc. Form 4 May 02, 2014

## FORM 4

#### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

value

\$3.125

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Probst Robert F			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Beam Suntory Inc. [NYSE: BEAM]				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
	(First) (	Middle) 3. Date (Mont	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/30/2014			(Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)			
ROAD (Street)  DEERFIELD, IL 60015			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)				SVP & Chief Financial Officer  6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting		
(City)  1.Title of	(State)  2. Transaction Date		able I - Non-D	<b>Perivative</b> 4. Securi			Person  quired, Disposed of  5. Amount of	of, or Beneficial	lly Owned 7. Nature of
Security (Instr. 3)	(Month/Day/Year		if Transaction	on(A) or D (D) (Instr. 3,	ispose	d of	Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock, par	04/30/2014		Code V	Amount 5,125	(D)	Price \$ 83.5	(Instr. 3 and 4)	D	

(1)

83.5

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

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# $\label{thm:convergence} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \end{tabular}$

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)	TransactiorDe Code Se (Instr. 8) Ac or (D (Instr. 8) Se	FransactionDerivative 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	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 47.32	04/30/2014		D	1,662	<u>(2)</u>	09/29/2015	Common Stock	1,662	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 47.32	04/30/2014		D	49,524	(2)	09/29/2015	Common Stock	49,524	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 35.67	04/30/2014		D	14,055	(2)	09/30/2016	Common Stock	14,055	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 35.67	04/30/2014		D	11,706	(2)	09/30/2016	Common Stock	11,706	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 36.25	04/30/2014		D	32,127	<u>(2)</u>	02/22/2017	Common Stock	32,127	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 36.25	04/30/2014		D	12,656	<u>(2)</u>	02/22/2017	Common Stock	12,656	
Employee Stock Option (Right to	\$ 51.08	04/30/2014		D	24,095	(2)	02/22/2021	Common Stock	24,095	

Buy)								
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 44.75	04/30/2014	D	84,610	<u>(2)</u>	10/04/2021	Common Stock	84,610
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 55.43	04/30/2014	D	21,739	<u>(2)</u>	02/21/2022	Common Stock	21,739
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 61.42	04/30/2014	D	21,947	(2)	02/21/2023	Common Stock	21,947
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	04/30/2014	D	5,617	<u>(3)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	5,617
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	04/30/2014	D	5,953	<u>(3)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	5,953
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	04/30/2014	D	14,900	<u>(3)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	14,900
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	04/30/2014	D	485	<u>(3)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	485
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	04/30/2014	D	7,806	<u>(5)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	7,806

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Kelationships							
. 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
Probst Robert F BEAM INC., 510 LAKE COOK ROAD DEERFIELD, IL 60015			SVP & Chief Financial Officer					
Signatures								
Leslie W. Jensen, Attorney-in-Fact for Robe Probst	rt F.	05/02/2014						
**Signature of Reporting Person		Date						

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### **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).
- (1) Represents shares of common stock that were cancelled and converted into the right to receive \$83.50 per share pursuant to the merger agreement among the issuer, Suntory Holdings Limited and SUS Merger Sub Limited (the "Merger Agreement").
- (2) This option was cancelled and converted pursuant to the Merger Agreement into the right to receive a cash payment equal to \$83.50 per share minus the exercise price, multiplied by the number of options.
- (3) These RSUs were cancelled and converted pursuant to the Merger Agreement into the right to receive a cash payment equal to \$83.50 per share.
- (4) N/A
- (5) Pursuant to the transactions contemplated by the Merger Agreement, 7,806 RSUs are being cancelled for no consideration.

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