

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

**FORM 8-K**

**CURRENT REPORT**

**Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

**Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported) April 25, 2005**

**CONSTELLATION BRANDS, INC.**  
**(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)**

<b><u>Delaware</u></b> (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	<b><u>001-08495</u></b> (Commission File Number)	<b><u>16-0716709</u></b> (IRS Employer Identification No.)
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**370 Woodcliff Drive, Suite 300, Fairport, New York 14450**  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code **(585) 218-3600**

Not applicable  
(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

**Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below):**

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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  - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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**ITEM 7.01. REGULATION FD DISCLOSURE.**

As requested by The Panel on Takeovers and Mergers in the United Kingdom, on April 25, 2005, Constellation Brands, Inc. (the "Company") issued a statement (the "statement"), regarding recent speculation about the Company's potential interest in Allied Domecq PLC. A copy of that statement is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

The information included in this Form 8-K, including the statement attached as Exhibit 99.1, is incorporated by reference into this Item 7.01 in satisfaction of the public disclosure requirements of Regulation FD. This information is "furnished" and not "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section. It may only be incorporated by reference in another filing under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or the Securities Act of 1933 only if and to the extent such subsequent filing specifically references the information incorporated by reference herein.

**ITEM 9.01. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS.**

(c) The following exhibit is furnished as part of this Form 8-K.

<u>No.</u>	<u>Description</u>
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99.1	Statement of Constellation Brands, Inc. (the "Company"), dated April 25, 2005.
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**SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, hereunto duly authorized.

CONSTELLATION BRANDS, INC.

Date: April 25, 2005

By: /s/ Thomas S. Summer  
Thomas S. Summer, Executive Vice President  
and Chief Financial Officer

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**Exhibit Number** **Description**

- (1) UNDERWRITING AGREEMENT  
Not Applicable.
- (2) PLAN OF ACQUISITION, REORGANIZATION, ARRANGEMENT, LIQUIDATION OR SUCCESSION  
Not Applicable.
- (3) ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION AND BYLAWS  
Not Applicable.
- (4) INSTRUMENTS DEFINING THE RIGHTS OF SECURITY HOLDERS, INCLUDING INDENTURES  
Not Applicable.
- (7) CORRESPONDENCE FROM AN INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANT REGARDING NON-RELIANCE ON A PREVIOUSLY ISSUED AUDIT REPORT OR COMPLETED INTERIM REVIEW  
Not Applicable.
- (14) CODE OF ETHICS  
Not Applicable.
- (16) LETTER RE CHANGE IN CERTIFYING ACCOUNTANT  
Not Applicable.
- (17) CORRESPONDENCE ON DEPARTURE OF DIRECTOR  
Not Applicable.
- (20) OTHER DOCUMENTS OR STATEMENTS TO SECURITY HOLDERS  
Not Applicable.
- (23) CONSENTS OF EXPERTS AND COUNSEL  
Not Applicable.
- (24) POWER OF ATTORNEY  
Not Applicable.
- (99) ADDITIONAL EXHIBITS
- (99.1) Statement dated April 25, 2005.
- (100) XBRL-RELATED DOCUMENTS  
Not Applicable.

**Exhibit 99.1**

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OR INTO CANADA, AUSTRALIA OR JAPAN

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

25 APRIL 2005

**CONSTELLATION BRANDS, INC.**

**STATEMENT RE ALLIED DOMEQ PLC**

Constellation Brands, Inc. ("Constellation") notes the recent speculation about its potential interest in Allied Domecq. Constellation is at an early stage of evaluating its options with a number of potential partners and there is no certainty that this process will lead to an approach being made to the Company.

A further announcement will be made as and when appropriate.

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