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Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Re	esponses)																
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * SMITH PAUL L				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CONSTELLATION BRANDS, INC. [STZ]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner					
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O CONSTELLATION BRANDS, INC., 207 HIGH POINT DRIVE, BUILDING 100				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/02/2012							Of	ficer (give titl	e below)		(specify below	v)	
(Street)				4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)							_X_ Form	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
VICTOR, NY	14564	(State)	(Zip)			7	Cable I N	Tom	Danisatis	va Caana	uidiaa A	anniuad Di	anasad of	au Danafiai	ally Owned		
(Instr. 3) Da		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, any (Month/Day/Ye		, if Co	Transactio		or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		A) 5. Am Owne Transa	-		urities Beneficially		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
							Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Pric	e			(or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
Class A Com	mon Stock	(08/02/2012				С		10,447	A	\$ 0 (1	39,50)7			D	
Class A Com	mon Stock	(08/02/2012				S		10,447	D	\$ 29.02 (2)	08 29,06	29,060			D	
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative		3A. Deemed Execution Date, it	(e.g., puts, calls, 4. 5. N Transaction Der Code Sec (Instr. 8) Acc Disp		s, warn Numb Perivati ecuritie Acquired Disposed	, warrants, option		Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Sec (In			7. Title and of Underly Securities	Owned Title and Amount Underlying 8. Price of Derivative		Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned	Owners Form o Derivat Securit	ownersl y: (Instr. 4)
	Security			Code	V	(A)	4, and 3)	Da Ex	nte cercisable	Expirat Date	tion	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Following Reported Transaction((Instr. 4)	Direct (D) or Indirects) (I) (Instr. 4)	ect
Class 1 (convertible) Common Stock	(3)	08/02/2012		М	1	0,447			(3)	(<u>(3)</u>	Class A Commor Stock	10,447	\$ 13.4	10,447	D	
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Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 13.4	08/02/2012		М			10,447		<u>(4)</u>	07/23	/2019	Class 1 Commor Stock	10,447	\$ 0	0	D	

Reporting Owners

	Relationships					
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
SMITH PAUL L C/O CONSTELLATION BRANDS, INC. 207 HIGH POINT DRIVE, BUILDING 100 VICTOR, NY 14564	X					

Signatures

/s/ H. Elaine Ziakas for Paul L. Smith	08/06/2012	
**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).
- (1) The reported shares of Class A Common Stock were received upon the conversion of shares of Class 1 Common Stock on a one-to-one basis.
- (2) Represents the weighted average sale price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$28.9900 to \$29.0800, inclusive. Upon request by the Commission staff, the issuer, or a security holder of the issuer, the reporting person will provide full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- (3) Shares of Class 1 Common Stock are convertible to shares of Class A Common Stock of the Issuer on a one-to-one basis in connection with the holders' sale of the shares of Class A Common Stock received upon the conversion. Class 1 Common Stock is not traded on any stock exchange.
- (4) 100% of this option has become exercisable.

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