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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * SANDS ROBERT				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CONSTELLATION BRANDS, INC. [STZ]							_x_1	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) _X_ Director _X_ 10% Owner				
	STELLAT	(First) ION BRANDS, E, BUILDING 1		3. Date 04/21/2		arliest Tra 7	nsact	tion (Mon	th/Day/Y	Year)	_X_0	Officer (give t		Other	(specify below)
(Street) VICTOR, NY 14564				4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)							_X_ For	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X. Form filed by One Reporting Person _Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)		(State)	(Zip)				Tabl	e I - Non	-Derivat	ive Securities	Acquired, D	isposed of	f, or Benefic	cially Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Ye				2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Date, if	(Instr. 8)		(A) c	curities Acquir or Disposed of c. 3, 4 and 5)	(D) Owned Transa	O) Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			Ownership Form:	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
			ay/ Tour)			Code		/ Amo	unt (A) or (D)	Price				or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		
Reminder: R	eport on a sep	parate line for each o		- Deriva	ative	Securitie	es Ac	Per this cur	sons w form a rently v	ho respond to require not require alid OMB co	ed to respontrol numb	ond unles er.				474 (9-02)
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible and any (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Year) (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible and formula for Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ole and	<u> </u>		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	Ownersh Form of Derivativ Security: Direct (I or Indire s) (I)	(Instr. 4)					
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa	ble	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 172.09	04/21/2017		A		57,772		04/21/2	2018 ⁽¹⁾	04/21/2027	Class 1 Common	57,772	\$ 0	57,772	D	
Restricted Stock Units	(2)	04/21/2017		A		7,667		05/01/2	2018(3)	(3)	Class A Common Stock	7,667	\$ 0	7,667	D	

Reporting Owners

	Relationships					
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
SANDS ROBERT C/O CONSTELLATION BRANDS, INC. 207 HIGH POINT DRIVE, BUILDING 100 VICTOR, NY 14564	X	X	President & CEO			

Signatures

/s/ H. Elaine Ziakas for Robert Sands	04/25/2017
**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).
- (1) This option becomes exercisable at the rate of 25% per year beginning on the date specified.
- (2) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Constellation Brands, Inc. Class A Common Stock.
- (3) These restricted stock units vest in four equal annual installments beginning on the date specified. Vested shares will be delivered to the reporting person as of each vesting date net of shares withheld to satisfy taxes.

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