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

SCHEDULE 14A

Proxy Statement Pursuant to Section 14(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (Amendment No.

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Important Notice of Availability of Proxy Materials for the Shareholder Meeting of

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Date Filed:

MONSTER BEVERAGE CORPORATION

To Be Held On:

June 19, 2017 2:00 p.m. PDT

Monster Beverage Corporation's executive offices, located at 1 Monster Way, Corona, California 92879

COMPANY NUMBER	
ACCOUNT NUMBER	
CONTROL NUMBER	

The Proxy Statement and Annual Report are available at: https://materials.proxyvote.com/61174X.

If you want to receive a paper or e-mail copy of the proxy materials you must request one. There is no charge to you for requesting a copy. Please make your request for a copy as instructed below before 6/09/17 to facilitate timely delivery.

TO REQUEST MATERIAL:

TELEPHONE: 888-Proxy-NA (888-776-9962) and 718-921-8562 (for international callers)

E-MAIL: info@astfinancial.com

WEBSITE: https://us.astfinancial.com/proxyservices/requestmaterials.asp

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ONLINE: To access your online proxy card, please visit <u>www.voteproxy.com</u> and follow the on-screen instructions or scan the QR code with your smartphone. You may enter your voting instructions at www.voteproxy.com up until 11:59 PM Eastern Time the day before the cut-off or meeting date.

IN PERSON: You may vote your shares in person by attending the Annual Meeting. To obtain directions to attend the Annual Meeting and vote in person please call 1-800-426-7367.

TELEPHONE: To vote by telephone, please visit www.voteproxy.com to view the materials and to obtain the toll free number to call

MAIL: You may request a card by following the instructions above.

1. Proposal to elect ten Directors:

NOMINEES:

Rodney C. Sacks Hilton H. Schlosberg Mark J. Hall Norman C. Epstein Gary P. Fayard Benjamin M. Polk Sydney Selati Harold C. Taber, Jr. Kathy N. Waller Mark S. Vidergauz

- Proposal to ratify the appointment of Deloitte & Touche LLP as the independent registered public accounting firm of the Company for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2017.
- 3. Proposal to approve the Monster Beverage Corporation 2017 Compensation Plan for Non-Employee Directors.
- Proposal to approve, on a non-binding, advisory basis, the compensation of the Company's named executive officers.
- Proposal to approve, on a non-binding, advisory basis, the frequency with which stockholders will approve the compensation of the Company's named executive officers.
- 6. Stockholder proposal requesting the Company's board of directors adopt a proxy access bylaw.
- Stockholder proposal regarding a sustainability report related to key environmental, social and governance risks and opportunities including an analysis of material water-related risks.

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS RECOMMENDS A VOTE "FOR" PROPOSALS 1, 2, 3 AND 4, EVERY "1 YEAR" ON PROPOSAL 5, AND "AGAINST" PROPOSALS 6 AND 7.

Please note that you cannot use this notice to vote by mail.