## FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Waller Kathy N						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  Monster Beverage Corp [ MNST ]								S. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)     X Director 10% Owner											
(Last)	,	,	Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/06/2018										Officer ( below)	give title		Other (s below)							
THE COCA-COLA COMPANY ONE COCA-COLA PLAZA					4. If A	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)										
(Street)	ΓA G	<b>A</b> 3	30313											X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person											
(City)	(S	tate) (	Zip)																						
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																								
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transact Date (Month/Day					Execution Date,			3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Securities Acquired (Disposed Of (D) (Instr. and 5)					3, 4 Securities Beneficially Owned			Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership							
					Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	R	Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)		Instr. 4)										
Common Stock														6,15	153(1)		D								
	Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																								
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Dee Execution if any (Month/		4. Transact Code (In 8)				6. Date Exerc Expiration Day/\ (Month/Day/\		ate	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		9. Number derivative Securitie Beneficia Owned Followin Reported	e s ally g	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership						
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares			Transacti (Instr. 4)									
Restricted Stock Units	(2)	06/06/2018			M			3,244	06/06/2018		(3)	Common Stock	3,244		(2)	0		D							
Restricted Stock Units	(4)	06/07/2018			A	3,123		(5)		(5) (3)		3,123		\$0 3,123		3	D								
Deferred Stock Units	(6)	06/06/2018			A		3,244 <sup>(7)</sup>		(8)		(8)		(8)		(8)		(8)	Common Stock	3,244	(	(2)(7)	3,749	9	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. No transaction is being reported at this time. This line is only reporting holdings as of the date hereof.
- 2. Each restricted stock unit represents either (i) a contingent right to receive one share of the Company's common stock or (ii) a cash amount equal to the number of shares received as of the vesting date. These restricted stock units were settled as shares of common stock and the Reporting Person has elected to defer the same, see footnote 7 below.
- 3. Not applicable.
- 4. Each restricted stock unit represents either (i) a contingent right to receive one share of the Company's common stock or (ii) a cash amount equal to the number of shares received as of the vesting date.
- 5. The restricted stock units vest with respect to 100% of such restricted stock units on the last business day prior to the Company's 2019 annual shareholder meeting, provided that the reporting person continues as a director of the Company through such date.
- 6. Each Deferred Stock Unit is economically equivalent to one share of Common Stock.
- 7. Deferred Stock Units credited to the reporting person under the Monster Beverage Corporation Deferred Compensation Plan for Non-Employee Directors (the "Deferral Plan"), a sub-plan of the Monster Beverage Corporation 2017 Compensation Plan for Non-Employee Directors, effective May 1, 2017, which may include voluntary deferred compensation.
- 8. The Deferred Stock Units credited under the Deferral Plan are settled (other than fractional units) in stock and are generally payable in the form elected or provided under the Deferral Plan on the earliest of: (i) a specified date or event designated by the reporting person, (ii) in the calendar year following the year in which the reporting person's service with the Board separates, or (iii) upon death, disability or change in control as defined under the Deferral Plan.

/s/ Paul J. Dechary, attorneyin-fact

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

06/08/2018

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

- \* 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).

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