# UNITED STATES SECURITIES & EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

### **SCHEDULE 13D**

#### Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (Amendment No. 16)\*

#### Monster Beverage Corporation

(Name of Issuer)

#### **Common Stock**

(Title of Class of Securities)

### 611740101

(CUSIP Number)

### Rodney C. Sacks 550 Monica Circle, Suite 201 Corona, California 92880 (951) 739-6200

(Name, Address and Telephone Number of Person Authorized to Receive Notices and Communications)

July 25, 2013

(Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement)

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CUSIP No. 611740101

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(1)	Names of Reporting Persons I.R.S. Identification Nos. of Above Persons (Entities Only) Brandon Limited Partnership No. 1		
(2)		e Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions)	
	(a)	X	
	(b)	0	
(3)	SEC Use	Only	
(4)	Source of Funds (See Instructions) WC (See Item 3)		

(6) Citizenship or Place of Organization Cayman Islands

(7) Sole Voting Power 0 (8) Shared Voting Power Number of 1,931,856 Shares Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting (9) Sole Dispositive Power Person With 0 (10) Shared Dispositive Power 1,931,856 Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person (11) 1,931,856 (12) Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (11) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions) o (13)Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (11) 1.2% (14)Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions) PN 2 CUSIP No. 611740101 13D/A (1) Names of Reporting Persons I.R.S. Identification Nos. of Above Persons (Entities Only) Brandon Limited Partnership No. 2 Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions) (2) (a) х (b) 0 SEC Use Only (3)

# (5) Check if Disclosure of Legal Proceedings Is Required Pursuant to Items 2(d) or 2(e) o

# (6) Citizenship or Place of Organization Cayman Islands

	(7)	Sole Voting Power 0	
Number of Shares Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person With	(8)	Shared Voting Power 9,815,648	
	(9)	Sole Dispositive Power 0	
	(10)	Shared Dispositive Power 9,815,648	
(11)	Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person 9,815,648		
(12)	Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (11) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions) o		
(13)	Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (11) 5.9%		
(14)	Type of Ro PN	eporting Person (See Instructions)	
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CUSIP No. 6	11740101	13D/A	
(1)	Names of I.R.S. Ider Rodney C	Reporting Persons tification Nos. of Above Persons (Entities Only) yril Sacks	

(2) Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions)

(a) <u>x</u>

(0)	0

(4) Source of Funds (See Instructions) PF (See Item 3)

(5) Check if Disclosure of Legal Proceedings Is Required Pursuant to Items 2(d) or 2(e) o

(6) Citizenship or Place of Organization United States of America (7)Sole Voting Power 5,004,603 (8) Shared Voting Power Number of 13,394,428 Shares Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting (9) Sole Dispositive Power Person With 5,004,603 (10) Shared Dispositive Power 13,394,428 (11) Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person 18,399,031 (12) Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (11) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions) o (13) Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (11) 10.8% (14)Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions) IN 4 CUSIP No. 611740101 13D/A

Names of Reporting Persons
 I.R.S. Identification Nos. of Above Persons (Entities Only)
 Hilton Hiller Schlosberg

(2)	Check the	Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions)
	(a)	x
	(b)	0
(3)	SEC Use	Only
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(4)	Source of PF (See It	Funds (See Instructions) em 3)
(5)	Check if I	Disclosure of Legal Proceedings Is Required Pursuant to Items 2(d) or 2(e) o
(6)	Citizenshi	p or Place of Organization
	United Ki	ngdom
	(7)	Sole Voting Power
		4,951,051
Number of	(8)	Shared Voting Power
Shares		13,394,428
Beneficially Owned by		
Each Reporting	(9)	Sole Dispositive Power
Person With	(0)	4,951,051
	(10)	Shared Dispositive Power
	()	13,394,428
(11)	Aggregate	Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person
(11)	18,345,47	
(12)	Check if t	he Aggregate Amount in Row (11) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions) o
(12)		ne Aggregate Antount in Row (11) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions) o
(13)	Percent of 10.7%	Class Represented by Amount in Row (11)
	10.7%	
(14)		eporting Person (See Instructions)
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(2) Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions)

	(a)	X
	(b)	0
(3)	SEC Use	Only
(4)		Funds (See Instructions)
	PF (See It	em 3)
(5)	Check if I	Disclosure of Legal Proceedings Is Required Pursuant to Items 2(d) or 2(e) o
(6)	Citizenshi Delaware	p or Place of Organization
	(7)	Sole Voting Power
	(7)	0
Number of	(8)	Shared Voting Power 4
Shares Beneficially		4
Owned by Each		
Reporting Person With	(9)	Sole Dispositive Power 0
	(10)	Shared Dispositive Power
		4
(11)	Aggregate 4	Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person
(12)	Check if t	he Aggregate Amount in Row (11) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions) o

- (13) Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (11) 0.0%
- (14) Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions) PN

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(1)	Names of Reporting Persons I.R.S. Identification Nos. of Above Persons (Entities Only) Hilrod Holdings, L.P.		
(2)	Check the	Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions)	
	(a)	X	
	(b)	0	
(3)	SEC Use (	Dnly	
(4)	Source of PF (See Ite	Funds (See Instructions) em 3)	
(5)	Check if Disclosure of Legal Proceedings Is Required Pursuant to Items 2(d) or 2(e) o		
(6)	Citizenship or Place of Organization Delaware		
	(7)	Sole Voting Power 0	
Number of Shares Beneficially	(8)	Shared Voting Power 4	
Owned by Each Reporting Person With	(9)	Sole Dispositive Power 0	
	(10)	Shared Dispositive Power 4	
(11)	Aggregate 4	Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person	
(12)	Check if t	ne Aggregate Amount in Row (11) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions) o	

(14) Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions) PN

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CUSIP No. 6	11740101	13D/A	
(1)	Names of Reporting Persons I.R.S. Identification Nos. of Above Persons (Entities Only) Hilrod Holdings IV, L.P.		
(2)	Check the	Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions)	
	(a)	X	
	(b)	0	
(3)	SEC Use	Dnly	
(4)	Source of Funds (See Instructions) PF (See Item 3)		
(5)	Check if Disclosure of Legal Proceedings Is Required Pursuant to Items 2(d) or 2(e) o		
(6)	Citizenship or Place of Organization Delaware		
	(7)	Sole Voting Power 0	
Number of Shares Beneficially	(8)	Shared Voting Power 184,924	
Owned by Each Reporting Person With	(9)	Sole Dispositive Power 0	
	(10)	Shared Dispositive Power 184,924	
(11)	Aggrogation	Amount Repeticially Owned by Each Reporting Percen	

(11) Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person 184,924

(12)	Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (11) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions) o		
(13)	Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (11) 0.1%		
(14)	Type of R PN	eporting Person (See Instructions)	
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CUSIP No. 6	611740101	13D/A	
(1)	Names of Reporting Persons I.R.S. Identification Nos. of Above Persons (Entities Only) Hilrod Holdings V, L.P.		
(2)	Check the	Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions)	
	(a)	<u>x</u>	
	(b)	0	
(3)	SEC Use	Only	
(4)	Source of Funds (See Instructions) PF (See Item 3)		
(5)	Check if Disclosure of Legal Proceedings Is Required Pursuant to Items 2(d) or 2(e) o		
(6)	Citizenship or Place of Organization Delaware		
	(7)	Sole Voting Power 0	
Number of Shares Beneficially	(8)	Shared Voting Power 71,428	
Owned by Each Reporting Person With	(9)	Sole Dispositive Power 0	
	(10)	Shared Dispositive Power	

71,428

(11)	Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person 71,428		
(12)	Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (11) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions) o		
(13)	Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (11) 0.0%		
(14)	Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions) PN		
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CUSIP No. 6	11740101	13D/A	
(1)	Names of Reporting Persons I.R.S. Identification Nos. of Above Persons (Entities Only) Hilrod Holdings VI, L.P.		
(2)	Check the	Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions)	
(-)	(a)	X	
	(b)	0	
(3)	SEC Use Only		
(4)	Source of Funds (See Instructions) PF (See Item 3)		
(5)	Check if Disclosure of Legal Proceedings Is Required Pursuant to Items 2(d) or 2(e) o		
(6)	Citizenship or Place of Organization Delaware		
Number of Shares Beneficially	(7)	Sole Voting Power 0	
Owned by Each Reporting Person With	(8)	Shared Voting Power 257,900	

	(9)	Sole Dispositive Power 0
	(10)	Shared Dispositive Power 257,900
(11)	Aggregate 257,900	e Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person
(12)	Check if th	he Aggregate Amount in Row (11) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions) o
(13)	Percent of 0.2%	Class Represented by Amount in Row (11)
(14)	Type of Re PN	eporting Person (See Instructions)
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CUSIP No. 6	511740101	13D/A
(1)	Names of Reporting Persons I.R.S. Identification Nos. of Above Persons (Entities Only) Hilrod Holdings VII, L.P.	
(2)	Check the	Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions)
	(a) (b)	X 0
(3)	SEC Use (	Only
(4)	Source of Funds (See Instructions) PF (See Item 3)	
(5)	Check if Disclosure of Legal Proceedings Is Required Pursuant to Items 2(d) or 2(e) o	
(6)	Citizenshi Delaware	p or Place of Organization
Number of	(7)	Sole Voting Power

Shares Beneficially 0

Owned by Each Reporting Person With	(8)	Shared Voting Power 40,072	
	(9)	Sole Dispositive Power 0	
	(10)	Shared Dispositive Power 40,072	
(11)	Aggregate 40,072	Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person	
(12)	Check if th	he Aggregate Amount in Row (11) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions) o	
(13)	Percent of 0.0%	Class Represented by Amount in Row (11)	
(14)	Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions) PN		
		11	
CUSIP No. 6	CUSIP No. 611740101 13D/A		
(1)	1) Names of Reporting Persons I.R.S. Identification Nos. of Above Persons (Entities Only) Hilrod Holdings VIII, L.P.		
(2)	) Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions) (a) x		
	(b)	0	
(3)	SEC Use (	Only	
(4)	Source of PF (See Ite	Funds (See Instructions) em 3)	

(5) Check if Disclosure of Legal Proceedings Is Required Pursuant to Items 2(d) or 2(e) o

(6)	6) Citizenship or Place of Organization Delaware		
	(7)	Sole Voting Power 0	
Number of Shares Beneficially	(8)	Shared Voting Power 189,528	
Owned by Each Reporting Person With	(9)	Sole Dispositive Power 0	
	(10)	Shared Dispositive Power 189,528	
(11)	Aggregate 189,528	Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person	
(12)	Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (11) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions) o		
(13)	Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (11) 0.1%		
(14)	Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions) PN		
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CUSIP No. 611740101 13D/A			
(1)	Names of Reporting Persons I.R.S. Identification Nos. of Above Persons (Entities Only) Hilrod Holdings IX, L.P.		
(2)	Check the	Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions)	
	(a) (b)	x 0	
(3)	SEC Use (	Dnly	
(4)	Source of Funds (See Instructions)		

PF (See Item 3)

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(6)	Citizenship or Place of Organization Delaware						
	(7)	Sole Voting Power 0					
Number of Shares Beneficially	(8)	Shared Voting Power 453,740					
Owned by Each Reporting Person With	(9) Sole Dispositive Power h 0						
	(10)	Shared Dispositive Power 453,740					
(11)	Aggregate 453,740	Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person					
(12)	Check if t	he Aggregate Amount in Row (11) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions) o					
(13)	Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (11) 0.3%						
(14)	Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions) PN						
	13						
CUSIP No. 6	11740101	13D/A					
(1)	<ul> <li>Names of Reporting Persons</li> <li>I.R.S. Identification Nos. of Above Persons (Entities Only)</li> <li>Hilrod Holdings X, L.P.</li> </ul>						
(2)	(a)	Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions)					
	(b)	0					

(3)	SEC Use Only					
(4)	Source of Funds (See Instructions) PF (See Item 3)					
(5)	Check if I	Disclosure of Legal Proceedings Is Required Pursuant to Items 2(d) or 2(e) o				
(6)	Citizenshi Delaware	p or Place of Organization				
	(7)	Sole Voting Power 0				
Number of Shares Beneficially	(8)	Shared Voting Power 92,332				
Owned by Each Reporting Person With	(9)	Sole Dispositive Power 0				
	(10)	Shared Dispositive Power 92,332				
(11)	Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person 92,332					
(12)	Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (11) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions) o					
(13)	Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (11) 0.1%					
(14)	Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions) PN					
	14					
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(1)	1) Names of Reporting Persons I.R.S. Identification Nos. of Above Persons (Entities Only) Hilrod Holdings XI, L.P.					

	(a) <u>x</u>						
	(b) <u>o</u>						
(3)	SEC Use	Only					
(4)	Source of PF (See It	Funds (See Instructions) em 3)					
(5)	Check if I	Disclosure of Legal Proceedings Is Required Pursuant to Items 2(d) or 2(e) o					
(6)	Citizenship or Place of Organization Delaware						
	(7)	Sole Voting Power 0					
Number of Shares Beneficially	(8)	Shared Voting Power 186,636					
Owned by Each Reporting Person With	(9)	Sole Dispositive Power 0					
	(10)	Shared Dispositive Power 186,636					
(11)	Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person 186,636						
(12)	Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (11) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions) o						
(13)	Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (11) 0.1%						
(14)	Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions) PN						
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- (1) Names of Reporting Persons I.R.S. Identification Nos. of Above Persons (Entities Only) Hilrod Holdings XII, L.P.
- (2) Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions) (a) х (b) 0 (3) SEC Use Only (4) Source of Funds (See Instructions) PF (See Item 3) Check if Disclosure of Legal Proceedings Is Required Pursuant to Items 2(d) or 2(e) o (5) (6) Citizenship or Place of Organization Delaware (7) Sole Voting Power 0 Shared Voting Power (8) Number of 170,356 Shares Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting (9) Sole Dispositive Power Person With 0 (10) Shared Dispositive Power 170,356 (11) Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person 170,356 Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (11) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions) o (12) (13)Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (11) 0.1%

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Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions)

I.R.S. Ider	Reporting Persons ntification Nos. of Above Persons (Entities Only) . Sacks 2008 Grantor Retained Annuity Trust #2			
Check the	Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions)			
(a)	X			
(b)	0			
SEC Use (	Dnly			
	Funds (See Instructions) em 3)			
Check if Disclosure of Legal Proceedings Is Required Pursuant to Items 2(d) or 2(e) o				
Citizenship or Place of Organization California				
(7)	Sole Voting Power 30,068			
(8)	Shared Voting Power 0			
(9)	Sole Dispositive Power 30,068			
(10)	Shared Dispositive Power 0			
Aggregate 30,068	Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person			
Check if th	ne Aggregate Amount in Row (11) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions) o			
	I.R.S. Ider Rodney C. Check the (a) (b) SEC Use C Source of PF (See Itt Check if E Check if E (7) (7) (8) (9) (10) Aggregate 30,068			

<sup>(13)</sup> Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (11) 0.0%

(14)	Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions)
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(1)	Names of Reporting Persons I.R.S. Identification Nos. of Above Persons (Entities Only) Rodney C. Sacks 2009 Grantor Retained Annuity Trust #2							
(2)	Check the	Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions)						
(2)								
	(a) (b)	x 0						
	(-)	<u> </u>						
(3)	SEC Use (	Dnly						
(4)	Source of PF (See Ite	Funds (See Instructions) em 3)						
(5)	Check if Disclosure of Legal Proceedings Is Required Pursuant to Items 2(d) or 2(e) o							
(6)	Citizenship or Place of Organization California							
	(7)	Sole Voting Power 77,121						
Number of Shares Beneficially	(8)	Shared Voting Power 0						
Owned by Each Reporting Person With	(9)	Sole Dispositive Power 77,121						
	(10)	Shared Dispositive Power 0						
(11)	Aggregate 77,121	Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person						

# (14) Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions) OO

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CUSIP No. 6	611740101	13D/A				
(1)	I.R.S. Ider	Reporting Persons ntification Nos. of Above Persons (Entities Only) ct 2010 Grantor Retained Annuity Trust				
(2)	Check the	Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions)				
	(a)	<u>x</u>				
	(b)	0				
(3)	SEC Use (	Only				
(4)	Source of Funds (See Instructions) PF (See Item 3)					
(5)	Check if Disclosure of Legal Proceedings Is Required Pursuant to Items 2(d) or 2(e) o					
(6)	Citizenship or Place of Organization California					
	(7)	Sole Voting Power 45,856				
Number of Shares Beneficially	(8)	Shared Voting Power 0				
Owned by Each Reporting Person With	(9)	Sole Dispositive Power 45,856				
	(10)	Shared Dispositive Power 0				

(11)	Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person 45,856						
(12)	Check if t	ne Aggregate Amount in Row (11) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions) o					
(13)	Percent of 0.0%	Class Represented by Amount in Row (11)					
(14)	Type of Ro OO	eporting Person (See Instructions)					
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CUSIP No. 6	511740101	13D/A					
(1)	I.R.S. Ider	Reporting Persons tification Nos. of Above Persons (Entities Only) et 2010 Grantor Retained Annuity Trust #2					
(2)	Check the	Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions)					
	(a)	X					
	(b)	0					
(3)	SEC Use (	Dnly					
(4)	Source of Funds (See Instructions) PF (See Item 3)						
(5)	Check if Disclosure of Legal Proceedings Is Required Pursuant to Items 2(d) or 2(e) o						
(6)	Citizenship or Place of Organization California						
Number of Shares Beneficially	(7)	Sole Voting Power 11,996					
Owned by Each Reporting Person With	(8)	Shared Voting Power 0					
	(9) Sole Dispositive Power 11,996						

- (11) Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person 11,996
- (12) Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (11) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions) o
- (13) Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (11)0.0%
- (14) Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions) OO
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- Names of Reporting Persons
   I.R.S. Identification Nos. of Above Persons (Entities Only)
   RCS Direct 2011 Grantor Retained Annuity Trust
- (2) Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions)
  - (a)
     x

     (b)
     o

(3) SEC Use Only

- (4) Source of Funds (See Instructions) PF (See Item 3)
- (5) Check if Disclosure of Legal Proceedings Is Required Pursuant to Items 2(d) or 2(e) o
- (6) Citizenship or Place of Organization California

Number of (7) Sole Voting Power Shares 149,488 Beneficially Owned by Each

Reporting Person With	ith (8) Shared Voting Power 0					
	(9)	Sole Dispositive Power 149,488				
	(10)	Shared Dispositive Power 0				
(11)	Aggregate 149,488	Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person				
(12)	Check if t	Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (11) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions) o				
(13)	Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (11) 0.1%					
(14)	Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions) OO					
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### Introduction

This Amendment No. 16 ("<u>Amendment No. 16</u>") amends the statement on Schedule 13D dated November 21, 1990 (the "<u>Original Statement</u>"), as amended by Amendment No. 1 dated March 29, 1991 ("<u>Amendment No. 1</u>"), Amendment No. 2 dated June 11, 1993 ("<u>Amendment No. 2</u>"), Amendment No. 3 dated August 29, 1994 ("<u>Amendment No. 3</u>"), Amendment No. 4 dated November 22, 2004 ("<u>Amendment No. 4</u>"), Amendment No. 5 dated December 1, 2004 ("<u>Amendment No. 5</u>"), Amendment No. 6 dated December 29, 2005 ("<u>Amendment No. 6</u>"), Amendment No. 7 dated January 13, 2006 ("<u>Amendment No. 7</u>"), Amendment No. 8 dated February 2, 2006 ("<u>Amendment No. 8</u>"), Amendment No. 9 dated February 23, 2010 ("<u>Amendment No. 9</u>"), Amendment No. 10 dated November 23, 2010 ("<u>Amendment No. 10</u>"), Amendment No. 11 dated December 16, 2011 ("<u>Amendment No. 11</u>"), Amendment No. 12 dated April 24, 2012 ("<u>Amendment No. 12</u>"), Amendment No. 13 dated May 21, 2012 ("<u>Amendment No. 14</u>") and Amendment No. 15 dated March 18, 2013 ("<u>Amendment No. 15</u>") (the Original Statement, Amendment No. 1, Amendment No. 2, Amendment No. 3, Amendment No. 5, Amendment No. 6, Amendment No. 7, Amendment No. 8, Amendment No. 9, Amendment No. 10, Amendment No. 11, Amendment No. 12, Amendment No. 13, Amendment No. 14, Amendment No. 15 and Amendment No. 16 are sometimes referred to herein collectively as this "<u>statement on Schedule 13D</u>"), relating to the common stock, par value \$0.005 per share ("<u>Common Stock</u>"), of Monster Beverage Corporation, a corporation organized under the laws of the state of Delaware (the "<u>Company</u>"). This Amendment No. 16 reflects transactions and developments through July 29, 2013, relating to such persons' respective holdings of the Company. The Reporting Persons may be deemed to constitute a "group" and, accordingly, jointly file this Amendment No. 16.

Any capitalized terms used in this Amendment No. 16 and not otherwise defined herein shall have the meanings ascribed to such terms in the Original Statement, as amended by Amendment No. 1, Amendment No. 2, Amendment No. 3, Amendment No. 4, Amendment No. 5, Amendment No. 6, Amendment No. 7, Amendment No. 8, Amendment No. 9, Amendment No. 10, Amendment No. 11, Amendment No. 12, Amendment No. 13, Amendment No. 14 and Amendment No. 15.

This Amendment No. 16 is being filed to reflect the consummation of a series of distributions by certain of the Reporting Persons as further described in Item 4 below.

#### Item 4. Purpose of Transaction

### Item 4 is hereby amended and supplemented by adding the following:

On July 25, 2013, Hilrod Holdings, L.P. ("<u>Hilrod</u>") and HRS Holdings, L.P. ("<u>HRS Holdings</u>") each distributed, without consideration, all but 4 shares of Common Stock previously reported as directly held by each of them, to (i) Mr. Sacks, as a general partner of each of Hilrod and HRS Holdings, his pro rata portion (determined based on his respective general partnership interest, which general partnership interest represented ownership equal to 1% of each of Hilrod and HRS Holdings) of the shares of Common Stock distributed by Hilrod and HRS Holdings, as applicable; (ii) Mr. Schlosberg, as a general

partner of each of Hilrod and HRS Holdings, his pro rata portion (determined based on his respective general partnership interest, which general partnership interest represented ownership equal to 1% of each of Hilrod and HRS Holdings) of the shares of Common Stock distributed by Hilrod and HRS Holdings, as applicable; and (iii) their respective limited partners, which are entities for the benefit of certain family members of Mr. Sacks and Mr. Schlosberg, as applicable, pro rata, the remaining shares of Common Stock distributed by Hilrod and HRS Holdings, and such limited partners subsequently transferred such shares of Common Stock to other entities for the benefit of certain family members of Mr. Sacks or Mr. Schlosberg, as applicable, which entities are controlled by an independent third party, Sterling Trustees LLC. Such distributions were effected for the purpose of restructuring family holdings.

As a result of the foregoing distributions, Hilrod and HRS Holdings each beneficially own 4 shares of Common Stock. Accordingly, Mr. Sacks and Mr. Schlosberg each continue to beneficially own the 4 shares reported herein as directly held by each of Hilrod and HRS Holdings, in addition to those shares distributed to each of them pursuant to the foregoing distributions that are now directly held by them.

None of the Reporting Persons has any present plans or proposals which relate to or would result in any of the matters set forth in subparagraphs (a)-(j) of Item 4 of Schedule 13D except as otherwise discussed in this Item 4. The Reporting Persons may, from time to time, and reserve the right to, change their plans or intentions and to take any and all actions that they deem appropriate to maximize the value of their investment, including, among other things, from time to time, disposing of any securities of the Company owned by them or formulating other plans or proposals regarding the Company or its securities to the extent deemed advisable by the Reporting Persons in light of market conditions, subsequent developments affecting the Company, the general business and future prospects of the Company, tax considerations and other factors. Such other plans and proposals may include, without limitation, the entry into additional stock trading plans intended to comply with Rule 10b5-1 promulgated under the Exchange Act.

### Item 5. Interest in Securities of the Issuer

# Item 5 is hereby amended by deleting Item 5 in its entirety and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

(a)-(b) See rows (7) through (10) of the cover pages to this Amendment No. 16 for the number of shares of Common Stock as to which each Reporting Person has sole or shared power to vote or direct the vote and sole or shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition. See rows (11) and (13) of the cover pages to this Amendment No. 16 for the aggregate number and percentage of shares of Common Stock beneficially owned by each of the Reporting Persons. Percentages calculated in this Amendment No. 16 with respect to Brandon No. 1, Brandon No. 2, HRS Holdings, Hilrod, Hilrod IV, Hilrod V, Hilrod VI, Hilrod VII, Hilrod IX, Hilrod X, Hilrod XI, Hilrod XI, RCS 2008, RCS 2009, RCS Direct, RCS Direct #2 and RCS Direct 2011 are based upon 167,403,081 shares of Common Stock outstanding as of July 22, 2013 (the "<u>Aggregate Outstanding Shares</u>"), as provided by the Company to the Reporting Persons. Percentages calculated in this Amendment No. 16 with respect to each of Mr. Sacks and Mr. Schlosberg are based upon 170,781,275 shares of Common Stock, which is the sum of the Aggregate Outstanding Shares plus the 3,378,194 shares of Common Stock units held by him.

As of July 29, 2013, the aggregate number and percentage of shares of Common Stock beneficially owned by the Reporting Persons is 23,350,082 shares, or 13.4% of the outstanding Common Stock. Percentages calculated in this Amendment No. 16 with respect to the Reporting Persons as a group are based upon 174,159,469 shares of Common Stock, which is the sum of the Aggregate Outstanding Shares plus the 6,756,388 aggregate shares of Common Stock issuable to the Reporting Persons upon the exercise of options to purchase Common Stock and vesting of restricted stock units.

Each of the Reporting Persons disclaims beneficial ownership of the Common Stock held by the other Reporting Persons, except for (a) with respect to Mr. Sacks: (i) 1,491,436 shares of Common Stock beneficially held by him; (ii) 3,291,194 shares presently exercisable under the stock option agreements; (iii) 87,000 shares underlying restricted stock units held by him scheduled to vest on September 1, 2013; (iv) 1,849 shares beneficially held by Hilrod IV because Mr. Sacks is one of Hilrod IV's general partners; (v) 714 shares beneficially held by Hilrod V because Mr. Sacks is one of Hilrod V's general partners; (vi) 2,579 shares beneficially held by Hilrod VI because Mr. Sacks is one of Hilrod VI's general partners; (vii) 401 shares beneficially held by Hilrod VII because Mr. Sacks is one of Hilrod VII's general partners; (viii) 1,895 shares beneficially held by Hilrod VIII because Mr. Sacks is one of Hilrod VIII's general partners; (ix) 4,537 shares beneficially held by Hilrod IX because Mr. Sacks is one of Hilrod IX's general partners; (x) 923 shares beneficially held by Hilrod X because Mr. Sacks is one of Hilrod X's general partners; (xi) 1,866 shares beneficially held by Hilrod XI because Mr. Sacks is one of Hilrod XI's general partners; and (xii) 1,704 shares beneficially held by Hilrod XII because Mr. Sacks is one of Hilrod XII's general partners; and (b) with respect to Mr. Schlosberg: (i) 1,393,301 shares of Common Stock beneficially held by him; (ii) 3,291,194 shares presently exercisable under the stock option agreements; (iii) 87,000 shares underlying restricted stock units held by him scheduled to vest on September 1, 2013; (iv) 1,849 shares beneficially held by Hilrod IV because Mr. Schlosberg is one of Hilrod IV's general partners; (v) 714 shares beneficially held by Hilrod V because Mr. Schlosberg is one of Hilrod V's general partners; (vi) 2,579 shares beneficially held by Hilrod VI because Mr. Schlosberg is one of Hilrod VI's general partners; (vii) 401 shares beneficially held by Hilrod VII because Mr. Schlosberg is one of Hilrod VII's general partners; (viii) 1,895 shares beneficially held by Hilrod VIII because Mr. Schlosberg is one of Hilrod VIII's general partners; (ix) 4,537 shares beneficially held by Hilrod IX because Mr. Schlosberg is one of Hilrod IX's general partners; (x) 923 shares beneficially held by Hilrod X because Mr. Schlosberg is one of Hilrod X's general partners; (xi) 1,866 shares beneficially held by Hilrod XI because Mr. Schlosberg is one of Hilrod XI's general partners; and (xii) 1,704 shares beneficially held by Hilrod XII because Mr. Schlosberg is one of Hilrod XII's general partners.

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(c) All transactions effected by the Reporting Persons in the Company's securities during the past 60 days is set forth in Schedule A hereto.

(d) No other person is known to have the right to receive, or the power to direct the receipt of dividends from, or the proceeds from the sale of, such securities.

(e) Not applicable.

#### SIGNATURES

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

July 29, 2013

### **BRANDON LIMITED PARTNERSHIP NO. 1**

- By: /s/ Rodney C. Sacks
  - Name: Rodney C. Sacks Title: General Partner

#### **BRANDON LIMITED PARTNERSHIP NO. 2**

By: /s/ Rodney C. Sacks Name: Rodney C. Sacks Title: General Partner

### HRS HOLDINGS, L.P.

By: /s/ Hilton H. Schlosberg Name: Hilton H. Schlosberg Title: General Partner

### Hilrod Holdings, L.P.

By: /s/ Hilton H. Schlosberg Name: Hilton H. Schlosberg Title: General Partner

### Hilrod Holdings IV, L.P.

By: /s/ Hilton H. Schlosberg Name: Hilton H. Schlosberg Title: General Partner

### Hilrod Holdings V, L.P.

By: /s/ Hilton H. Schlosberg Name: Hilton H. Schlosberg Title: General Partner

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Hilrod Holdings VI, L.P.

By: /s/ Hilton H. Schlosberg Name: Hilton H. Schlosberg Title: General Partner

Hilrod Holdings VII, L.P.

By: /s/ Hilton H. Schlosberg Name: Hilton H. Schlosberg Title: General Partner

### Hilrod Holdings VIII, L.P.

By: /s/ Hilton H. Schlosberg
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Name:Hilton H. SchlosbergTitle:General Partner

Hilrod Holdings IX, L.P.

By:	/s/ Hilto	n H. Schlosberg	
	Name:	Hilton H. Schlosberg	
	Title:	General Partner	

Hilrod Holdings X, L.P.

By: /s/ Hilton H. Schlosberg Name: Hilton H. Schlosberg Title: General Partner

Hilrod Holdings XI, L.P.

By: /s/ Hilton H. Schlosberg Name: Hilton H. Schlosberg Title: General Partner

Hilrod Holdings XII, L.P.

By: /s/ Hilton H. Schlosberg Name: Hilton H. Schlosberg Title: General Partner

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The Rodney C. Sacks 2008 Grantor Retained Annuity Trust #2

By: /s/ Hilton H. Schlosberg Name: Hilton H. Schlosberg Title: Co-Trustee

The Rodney C. Sacks 2009 Grantor Retained Annuity Trust #2

By: <u>/s/ Rodney C. Sacks</u> Name: Rodney C. Sacks Title: Trustee

The RCS Direct 2010 Grantor Retained Annuity Trust

By: /s/ Rodney C. Sacks Name: Rodney C. Sacks Title: Trustee

The RCS Direct 2010 Grantor Retained Annuity Trust #2

By: /s/ Rodney C. Sacks Name: Rodney C. Sacks Title: Trustee

The RCS Direct 2011 Grantor Retained Annuity Trust

By: /s/ Hilton H. Schlosberg Name: Hilton H. Schlosberg Title: Trustee

/s/ Rodney C. Sacks RODNEY C. SACKS

/s/ Hilton H. Schlosberg

### **SCHEDULE A**

The following are the transactions in the Company's securities during the past 60 days:

	Date of Transaction	No. of Securities Acquired/(Disposed Of)	Average Price Per Security	Range of Prices Per Security
Mr. Sacks	05/24/2013	449,868(2)	\$ 0.2655	N/A
Mr. Schlosberg	05/24/2013	449,868(2)	\$ 0.2655	N/A
Mr. Sacks	05/29/2013	(20,000)	\$ 55.01	N/A
Mr. Schlosberg	05/29/2013	(20,000)	\$ 55.01	N/A
Mr. Sacks	05/31/2013	(10,000)	\$ 55.5	N/A
Mr. Schlosberg	05/31/2013	(10,000)	\$ 55.5	N/A
Mr. Sacks	06/05/2013	(30,000)	\$ 59.93(1)	\$59.80 - \$60.00
Mr. Schlosberg	06/05/2013	(30,000)	\$ 59.93(1)	\$59.80 - \$60.00
Mr. Sacks	06/07/2013	(20,000)	\$ 60.51(1)	\$60.00 - \$61.00
Mr. Schlosberg	06/07/2013	(20,000)	\$ 60.51(1)	\$60.00 - \$61.00
Mr. Sacks	06/13/2013	(30,000)	\$ 62(1)	\$62.00 - \$62.02
Mr. Schlosberg	06/13/2013	(30,000)	\$ 62(1)	\$62.00 - \$62.02
Hilrod	07/25/2013	(6,305,136)(3)	\$ 0	N/A
HRS Holdings	07/25/2013	(1,415,728)(4)	\$ 0	N/A
Mr. Sacks	07/25/2013	77,208(5)	\$ 0	N/A
Mr. Schlosberg	07/25/2013	77,208(5)	\$ 0	N/A

(1) This transaction was executed in multiple trades in the open market. The price reported above reflects the weighted average sale price per share of Common Stock sold. The range of sales prices for these transactions is set forth above. The Reporting Persons hereby undertake to provide upon request to the SEC staff, the Company or a security holder of the Company full information regarding the number of shares and prices at which the transaction was effected.

(2) On May 24, 2013, Messrs. Sacks and Schlosberg each exercised employee stock options for 449,868 shares of Common Stock.

(3) The shares of Common Stock represent shares which were held of record by Hilrod and distributed to its general and limited partners in accordance with the terms of the partnership agreement, as further described in Item 4 of this Amendment No. 16.

(4) The shares of Common Stock represent shares which were held of record by HRS Holdings and distributed to its general and limited partners in accordance with the terms of the partnership agreement, as further described in Item 4 of this Amendment No. 16.

(5) On July 25, 2013, each of Mr. Sacks and Mr. Schlosberg received an aggregate of 77,208 shares of Common Stock as a result of their general partnership interests in each of Hilrod and HRS Holdings. Messrs. Sacks and Schlosberg each received 63,051 shares of Common Stock distributed to each of them without consideration by Hilrod and 14,157 shares of Common Stock distributed to each of them without consideration by HRS Holdings.

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