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## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Holdings XI, L.P.<sup>(2)</sup>

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168,414

				or Se	ection 30(h) of the Ir	nvestme	ent Co	mpany Act of 1	1940								
1. Name and Addr SACKS RO		2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>Monster Beverage Corp</u> [ MNST ]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner							
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1 MONSTER WAY					e of Earliest Transa /2014	ction (M	onth/E	Day/Year)	X     Officer (give title below)     Other (specify below)       Chairman and CEO								
(Street) CORONA (City)	CA (State)	92879 (Zip)		4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
1. Title of Security	y (Instr. 3)	Table I - No	2. Transa Date (Month/D	ay/Year) Execution Date,		3. Transa Code (	ction	Dosed of, or Benefic 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a 5)			r 5. Amount of		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial			
					(Month/Day/Year)	8) Code V					e	Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)			
Common Stock			12/31/	2013		<b>G</b> <sup>(1)</sup>	v	46,660	A	5	5 <mark>0</mark>	1,239,218	D				
Common Stock												1,881,856	I	By Brandon Limited Partnership No. 1 <sup>(2)</sup>			
Common Stock												9,815,648	I	By Brandon Limited Partnership No. 2 <sup>(2)</sup>			
Common Stock												4	I	By HRS Holdings, L.P. <sup>(2)</sup>			
Common Stock												4	I	By Hilrod Holdings, L.P. <sup>(2)</sup>			
Common Stock												184,924	I	By Hilrod Holdings IV, L.P. <sup>(2)</sup>			
Common Stock												71,428	I	By Hilrod Holdings V, L.P. <sup>(2)</sup>			
Common Stock												257,900	I	By Hilrod Holdings VI, L.P. <sup>(2)</sup>			
Common Stock												40,072	I	By Hilrod Holdings VII, L.P. <sup>(2)</sup>			
Common Stock												189,528	I	By Hilrod Holdings VIII, L.P. <sup>(2)</sup>			
Common Stock												453,740	I	By Hilrod Holdings IX, L.P. <sup>(2)</sup>			
Common Stock												92,332	I	By Hilrod Holdings X, L.P. <sup>(2)</sup>			

		Та	able I - No	on-Dei	rivati	ive S	Securitie	es Ac	quired,	Dis	posed	of, or Be	eneficially	Owned				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)					2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Code (I	Transaction Code (Instr.		ties Acquir d Of (D) (Ins		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
										v	Amount	(A) o (D)	r Price					(Instr. 4)
Common											170,356				By Hilrod Holdings XII, L.P. <sup>(2)</sup>			
Common Stock														77,121		I		By RCS 2009 GRAT #2 <sup>(2)</sup>
Common Stock														45,856		I		By RCS Direct 2010 GRAT <sup>(2)</sup>
Common Stock													6,685		I		By RCS Direct 2010 GRAT #2 <sup>(2)</sup>	
			Table II -										eficially C	wned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Da if any (Month/Day/	d 4. Date, Transactio Code (Ins			5. Number of 6 Derivative E		, options, conver 3. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)		10. Owners Form: Direct (E or Indire (I) (Instr.	Beneficial Ownershi ct (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)		Date Exercisabl		xpiration ate	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	(Instr.				
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$3.294								(3)	03	8/23/2015	Common Stock	2,400,000		1,904	4,890	D	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$8.435								(3)	11	1/11/2015	Common Stock	1,200,000		960	,000	D	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$15.86								(3)	06	5/02/2018	Common Stock	800,000	326		326,304 D		
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$17.82								(4)	12	2/01/2019	Common Stock	500,000		300	,000	D	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$53.96								(5)	06	5/03/2023	Common Stock	210,000		210	,000	D	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$70.06	03/14/2014			A		210,000		(6)	03	3/14/2024	Common Stock	210,000	\$0	210	,000	D	
Restricted Stock Units	(7)								(8)		(9)	Common Stock	261,000		87,	.000	D	

## Explanation of Responses:

1. Represents shares transferred from an existing grantor retained trust to the reporting person as the proceeds of in-kind annuity payments from such existing grantor retained trust.

2. The reporting person is one of the general partners of each of Brandon Limited Partnership No. 1, Brandon Limited Partnership No. 2, HRS Holdings, L.P., Hilrod Holdings, L.P., Hilrod Holdings IV, L.P., Hilrod Holdings V, L.P., Hilrod Holdings VI, L.

3. The options are currently vested.

4. The options are currently vested with respect to 200,000 shares. The remaining options vest on December 1, 2014.

5. The options vest in three equal installments on June 3, 2014, 2015 and 2016.

6. Granted March 14, 2014 pursuant to the Company's 2011 Omnibus Incentive Plan (which is a Rule 16b-3(d)(1) plan) and Equity Grant Procedures. The options vest in three equal installments on March 14, 2015, 2016 and 2017.

7. The restricted stock units were granted under the Monster Beverage Corporation 2011 Omnibus Incentive Plan. Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Company's common stock as of the vesting date.

8. The remaining restricted stock units vest on September 1, 2014.

9. Not applicable.

Remarks:

Rodney C. Sacks
\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

03/17/2014

Date

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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