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FORM 4

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

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See Instruction 1(b).

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

(Last)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Baladi Albert

(First) (Middle)

BEAM INC., 510 LAKE COOK ROAD

(Street)

DEERFIELD, IL 60015

(State)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

BEAM INC [NYSE: BEAM]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 10/04/2011

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

SVP & President, EMEA

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

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Person

(Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3)

(City)

Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8)

Code V Amount (D) Price

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

(A)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect Beneficial (T) (Instr. 4)

7. Nature of Indirect Ownership (Instr. 4)

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

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

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security

Conversion or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if any

4. 5. Number of **Transaction**Derivative Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of **Underlying Securities** (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8	or Disp (D)	(Instr. 3, 4,				
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 44.75	10/04/2011		A	63,46)	<u>(1)</u>	10/04/2021	Beam Inc. Common Stock	63,460
Restricted Stock Unit	(2)	10/04/2011		A	16,76)	(3)	(3)	Beam Inc. Common Stock	16,760

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Baladi Albert BEAM INC. 510 LAKE COOK ROAD DEERFIELD, IL 60015

SVP & President, EMEA

Signatures

Todd M. Bloomquist, as Attorney-in-Fact for Albert Baladi

10/06/2011

**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) The options vest in three equal annual installments beginning on October 4, 2013.
- (2) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Beam Inc. common stock.
- Payment of the award will be made in three equal installments on October 4, 2013, October 4, 2014, and October 4, 2015 if Mr. Baladi (3) remains employed through such dates, subject to special provisions in the event of death, disability or termination following a change in control.

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