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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting

Person *

Wright John A

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

04/06/2010

2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

CONSTELLATION BRANDS, INC. [STZ/STZ.B]

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

5. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

BRANDS, INC., Â 207 HIGH POINT DRIVE, BLDG, 100

(Street)

(Check all applicable)

Director _X__ Officer

10% Owner Other

6. Individual or Joint/Group (give title below) (specify below) Filing(Check Applicable Line) Pres., Constellation Wines NA _X_ Form filed by One Reporting

Person

Form filed by More than One

Reporting Person

VICTOR. NYÂ 14564

C/O CONSTELLATION

(City) (State)

(Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security

(Instr. 4)

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

(Instr. 4)

3. Ownership Form:

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)

Direct (D) or Indirect (I)

(Instr. 5)

Class A Common Stock

104,520

Â D

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially

owned directly or indirectly.

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

1. Title of Derivative Security 2. Date Exercisable and

Expiration Date

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

4. 5. Ownership Conversion or Exercise Form of Price of Derivative

6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)

Derivative Security:

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	06/29/2007(1)	06/29/2016	Class A Common Stock	30,000	\$ 26.24	D	Â
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	04/03/2008(1)	04/03/2017	Class A Common Stock	51,400	\$ 20.79	D	Â
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	04/01/2009(1)	04/01/2018	Class 1 Common Stock	68,100	\$ 19.12	D	Â
Restricted Stock Units	(2)	(2)	Class A Common Stock	6,450	\$ 0 (3)	D	Â
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	04/06/2010(1)	04/06/2019	Class 1 Common Stock	173,420	\$ 11.85	D	Â
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	04/05/2011(1)	04/05/2020	Class 1 Common Stock	110,080	\$ 16.67	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Wright John A C/O CONSTELLATION BRANDS, INC. 207 HIGH POINT DRIVE, BLDG. 100 VICTOR, NY 14564	Â	Â	Pres., Constellation Wines NA	Â		

Signatures

John A. Wright 04/15/2010

**Signature of Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) This option becomes exercisable at the rate of 25% per year beginning on the date specified.
- (2) These restricted stock units vest in three equal annual installments beginning on May 1, 2010. Vested shares will be delivered to the reporting person as of each vesting date net of shares withheld to satisfy taxes.
- (3) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Constellation Brands, Inc. Class A Common Stock. Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *See* Instruction 6 for procedure.

Reporting Owners 2

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