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| CONSTELLA<br>Form 4<br>July 31, 2006  | ATION BRANDS  | s, INC.                                       |  |   |  |  | ·                      |   |  |   |  |
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| subject to<br>Section 16  | ó.  | SECURITIES                                    |  |   |  |  |                        |   | Estimated a<br>burden hou  | irs per   |  |
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| (Print or Type R  | esponses)   |   |  |   |  |  |                        |   |  |   |  |
| 1. Name and Ac<br>FROMBERC  | 2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading<br>Symbol<br>CONSTELLATION BRANDS, INC. |   |  |   | -  | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer |                        |   |  |   |  |
|   |   | [STZ]   |  |   |  | ,  | (Check all applicable) |   |  |   |  |
| (Montl  |   |   |  | ate of Earliest Transaction<br>nth/Day/Year)<br>27/2006 |  |  |                        | X_ Director 10% Owner<br>Officer (give title Other (specify<br>below) below)  |  |   |  |
| SUITE 300   |   |   |  |   |  |  |                        |   |  |   |  |
|   | (Street)  |   | 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) |   |  |  |                        | <ul><li>6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check</li><li>Applicable Line)</li><li>_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person</li></ul> |  |   |  |
| FAIRPORT,   | NY 14450  |   |  |   |  |  |                        | Form filed by M<br>Person   | More than One Ro   | eporting  |  |
| (City)  | (State) (2  | Zip)  | Table  | I - Non-De  | erivative S                                      | Securi   | ties Aco               | quired, Disposed o  | f, or Beneficia  | lly Owned   |  |
| 1.Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3)  | 2. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year)   | 2A. Deeme<br>Execution I<br>any<br>(Month/Day | Date, if   | 3.<br>Transactio<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8)                  | 4. Securi<br>nAcquired<br>Disposed<br>(Instr. 3, | l (A) o<br>l of (D                               | )                      | Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)   | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or<br>Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |  |
| Class A   |   |   |  | Code V  | Amount   | (D)  | Price                  | (Instr. 3 and 4)  |  |   |  |
| Common<br>Stock   | 07/27/2006  |   |  | А   | 1,620  | А  | \$0                    | 2,134   | 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 Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transacti<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 5. Number 6. Date Exe<br>mof Derivative Expiration I<br>Securities (Month/Day<br>Acquired<br>(A) or<br>Disposed of<br>(D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4,<br>and 5) |                     | æ                  | 7. Title and A<br>Underlying S<br>(Instr. 3 and | Securit                         |
|---|---|---|---|---------------------------------------|--|---------------------|--------------------|---|---------------------------------|
|   |   |   |   | Code V                                | (A) (D)  | Date<br>Exercisable | Expiration<br>Date | Title   | Amo<br>or<br>Num<br>of<br>Share |
| Non-Qualified<br>Stock Option<br>(right to buy)     | \$ 24.68  | 07/27/2006                              |   | А                                     | 2,836  | 01/27/2007          | 07/27/2016         | Class A<br>Common<br>Stock                      | 2,8                             |

## **Reporting Owners**

| Reporting Owner Name / Address   | Relationships |           |         |          |  |  |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|----------|--|--|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other    |  |  |
| FROMBERG BARRY A<br>C/O CONSTELLATION BRANDS, INC.<br>370 WOODCLIFF DRIVE, SUITE 300<br>FAIRPORT, NY 14450 | Х             |           |         |          |  |  |
| Signatures   |               |           |         |          |  |  |
| By: H. Elaine Ziakas (f/k/a H. Elaine Farry Fromberg   | ) For: Ba     | ту А.     |         | 07/31/20 |  |  |
| <u>**</u> Signature of Reporting Person  | 1             |           |         | Date     |  |  |

## **Explanation of Responses:**

If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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