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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 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement CRAFT BREWERS ALLIANCE, INC. [Hook] Thomas Andrew J. (Month/Day/Year) 06/01/2011 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) 41 WINCHESTER STREET (Check all applicable) (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) 10% Owner Director _X_ Form filed by One Reporting _X__ Officer Other Person BOSTON, MAÂ 02116 (give title below) (specify below) Form filed by More than One President of Comm. Operations Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Ownership (Instr. 4) Ownership (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D)

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

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or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)

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

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security	4. Conversion or Exercise	5. Ownership Form of	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Expiration Exercisable Date	(Instr. 4) Amount or Title Number of Shares		Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	

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Stock Appreciation Right	(1)	10/12/2013	Common stock	10,000	\$ 6.5	D	Â
Stock appreciation right	(1)	01/01/2014	Common	10,000	\$ 7.79	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
Fg	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
Thomas Andrew J. 41 WINCHESTER STREET BOSTON Â MAÂ 02116	Â	Â	President of Comm. Operations	Â	

Signatures

/s/Patrick R. Green by power of attorney for Andrew J.
Thomas

06/01/2011

**Signature of Reporting 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) The stock appreciation rights (SARs) are fully exercisable. Upon exercise, the SARs are to be settled in cash.

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