

NATIONAL BEVERAGE CORP
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
KLING S LEE

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
NATIONAL BEVERAGE CORP
[FIZZ]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
9990 OLD OLIVE ST RD, SUITE 107

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
08/04/2007

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

ST LOUIS, MO 63141

(City) (State) (Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Code V Amount (D) Price		
COMMON STOCK					262,800	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)

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares
KEEP STOCK OPTION	\$ 6.27 ⁽¹⁾	08/04/2007		A	3,000	08/04/2013 ⁽¹⁾ 08/04/2017	COMMON STOCK	3,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
KLING S LEE 9990 OLD OLIVE ST RD SUITE 107 ST LOUIS, MO 63141	X			

Signatures

/s/ Kling, Lee 08/06/2007

**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).

Under the Company's Key Employee Equity Partnership Program ("KEEP"), Mr. Kling received a grant of 3,000 KEEP options for 6,000 shares of common stock purchased by Mr. Kling on July 20, 2007. KEEP options are granted at an initial exercise price of sixty percent (1) of the purchase price for the shares of National Beverage Corp. common stock acquired and reduce to the par value of the Company's stock at the end of the six year vesting period. Reference is made to Exhibit 10.14 of the Company's Form 10-K for the year ended April 28, 2007.

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