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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> Marc Swanson			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol SeaWorld Entertainment, Inc. [SEAS]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
(Last) C/O SEAW ENTERTAI SOUTH PA SUITE 400	<ul><li>3. Date of Earliest Transaction</li><li>(Month/Day/Year)</li><li>03/01/2018</li></ul>					Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) Chief Financial Officer						
				endment, Date Original onth/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> <li> Form filed by More than One Reporting</li> </ul>				
		(Zip)						Person				
	(City) (State) (Zip) <b>Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially C</b>								-			
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction (Month/Day/Y	ear) Executio any	med on Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) Code V	4. Securi on(A) or Di (Instr. 3, Amount	ispose	d of (D) 5) Price	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)			
Common Stock	03/01/2018			F <u>(1)</u>	305	D	\$ 14.58	97,997	D			
Common Stock	03/03/2018			F <u>(1)</u>	241	D	\$ 14.66	97,756	D			

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

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Expiration D (Month/Day/ e	Date Exercisable and Expiration Date Month/Day/Year)		tle and unt of rlying rities :. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owno Follo Repo Trans (Instr
Repo	rting O	wners		Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

### Relationships **Reporting Owner Name / Address** Director 10% Owner Officer Other Marc Swanson C/O SEAWORLD ENTERTAINMENT, INC. Chief Financial Officer 9205 SOUTH PARK CENTER LOOP, SUITE 400 ORLANDO, FL 32819 Signatures /s/ G. Anthony (Tony) Taylor, by power of 03/05/2018 attorney \*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).
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- (1) Shares withheld by the Company for the payment of tax liability incident to the vesting of shares of restricted stock.

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