SeaWorld Entertainment, Inc. Form 3 January 15, 2015 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION FORM 3 Washington, D.C. 20549

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> MOLONEY THOMAS E | | 2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SeaWorld Entertainment, Inc. [SEAS] | | |
|---|---------|---|--|---|--|
| (Last) | (First) | (Middle) | 01/15/2015 | 4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer | 5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) |

(Check all applicable)

(give title below) (specify below)

_X__ Director

Officer

10% Owner

_ Other

C/O SEAWORLD ENTERTAINMENT, INC., 9205 SOUTH PARK **CENTER LOOP, SUITE 400**

(Street)

ORLANDO, FLÂ 32819

| ORLANDO |),A FLA 32 | 2819 | | | Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | |
|---------------------------------|------------|---------------|---|--|---|--|--|
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | Table I - Non-Deriva | tive Securities Beneficially Owned | | | |
| 1.Title of Secu (Instr. 4) | ırity | | 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4) | 3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) | 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5) | | |
| Reminder: Rep owned directly | - | | class of securities beneficially | SEC 1473 (7-02 | 2) | | |
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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 | 3. Title and Amount of | 4. | 5. | 6. Nature of Indirect |
|---------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------|-------------|------------|-----------------------|
| (Instr. 4) | Expiration Date | Securities Underlying | Conversion | Ownership | Beneficial Ownership |
| | (Month/Day/Year) | Derivative Security | or Exercise | Form of | (Instr. 5) |
| | | (Instr. 4) | Price of | Derivative | |
| | | | Derivative | Security: | |

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Person

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| Date | Expiration | Title | Amount or | Security | Direct (D) |
|-------------|------------|-------|-----------|----------|-------------|
| Exercisable | Date | | Number of | | or Indirect |
| | | | Shares | | (I) |
| | | | | | (Instr. 5) |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | |
| MOLONEY THOMAS E C/O SEAWORLD ENTERTAINMENT, INC. 9205 SOUTH PARK CENTER LOOP, SUITE 400 ORLANDO, FL 32819 | ÂX | Â | Â | Â | |
| Signatures | | | | | |
| /s/ Carlos Clark, by power of 01/15/2015 01/15/2015 | | | | | |
| <u>**</u> Signature of Reporting Person Date | | | | | |

Explanation of Responses:

No securities are beneficially owned

- * 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).

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Remarks:

Exhibit List: Exhibit 24 - Power of Attorney No securities are beneficially owned.

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