

CRAFT BREWERS ALLIANCE, INC.

Form 8-K

November 19, 2010

**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, DC 20549**

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**FORM 8-K**

Current Report

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the  
Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): November 15, 2010

**CRAFT BREWERS ALLIANCE, INC.**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Washington	0-26542	91-1141254
(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)	(Commission file number)	(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

929 North Russell Street  
Portland, OR 97227-1733  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices, Zip Code)

(503) 331-7270  
(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below):

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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  - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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**Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements for Certain Officers**

(b) Effective November 15, 2010, Anthony J. Short submitted his voluntary resignation from the board of directors of Craft Brewers Alliance, Inc. (the "Company"), in connection with his leaving the employ of Anheuser-Busch, Inc. ("A-B"). Mr. Short had served as a director of the Company since May 2000 as one of two directors designated by A-B pursuant to contractual rights granted to A-B by the Company.

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**SIGNATURE**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

CRAFT BREWERS  
ALLIANCE, INC.

Dated: November 19, 2010 By: /s/ MARK D.  
MORELAND

Mark D. Moreland  
*Chief Financial Officer  
and Treasurer*