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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934
or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>WC PARTNERS</u> <u>EXECUTIVE IV, L.P.</u> (Last) (First) (Middle) <u>6250 NORTH RIVER ROAD SUITE</u> <u>10-100</u> (Street) <u>ROSEMONT IL</u> <u>60018</u> (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) <u>04/22/2021</u>	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>Latham Group, Inc. [SWIM]</u>	
		4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)	5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	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)
<u>Common Stock, par value \$0.0001 per share⁽¹⁾</u>	<u>596,203</u>	<u>D</u>	

**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 (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares			

Explanation of Responses:

1. Represents 596,203 shares of common stock issued to WC Partners Executive IV, L.P. pursuant to the merger of Latham Investment Holdings, LP with and into the Issuer.

Remarks:

The reporting person is a member of a 10% group with (i) Pamplona Capital Partners V, L.P., Pamplona Equity Advisors V Ltd, Pamplona PE Investments Malta Limited, Pamplona Capital Management LLP, Pamplona Capital Management LLC, Pamplona Capital Management (PE) SL, Pamplona Capital Management (Monaco) SAM, John C. Halsted and Alexander Knaster (collectively, the "Pamplona Entities"), and (ii) Wynnchurch Capital Partners IV, L.P., Wynnchurch Partners IV, L.P., Wynnchurch Management, Ltd., John Hatherly and Christopher O'Brien (collectively, the "Wynnchurch Entities"). None of the shares of common stock held by Pamplona Entities and Wynnchurch Entities are reflected in this report. Christopher O'Brien currently serves as the reporting person's representative on the Latham Group, Inc.'s board of directors, and therefore the reporting person may be deemed to be a "director by deputization" of Latham Group, Inc.

/s/ See signature attached
as Exhibit 99.1

04/22/2021

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5 (b)(v).

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WC PARTNERS EXECUTIVE IV, L.P.

By: Wynnchurch Partners IV, L.P., *its General Partner*

By: Wynnchurch Management, Ltd., *its General Partner*

By: /s/ Christopher P. O'Brien

Name: Christopher P. O'Brien

Title: Executive Vice President
