STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

#### **BUSCH AUGUST A IV**

Form 4

November 28, 2005

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading **BUSCH AUGUST A IV** Issuer Symbol ANHEUSER-BUSCH (Check all applicable) COMPANIES, INC. [BUD] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) ONE BUSCH PLACE 11/23/2005 VP and Group Executive (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting ST. LOUIS, MO 63118-1852 Person

(City)	(State)	Zip) Table	e I - Non	ı-De	erivative S	Securi	ties Ac	quired, Disposed (	of, or Beneficial	lly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transa Code (Instr.		4. Securities nAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
G.			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock (\$1 par value)	11/18/2005		G	V	374	D	\$0	46,003	D	
Common Stock (\$1 par value)								7,807 <u>(1)</u>	I	By 401(K) Plan

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)

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. Number of orDerivative 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) - ISO	\$ 43.8	11/23/2005		A	2,283	<u>(2)</u>	11/22/2015	Common Stock	2,283
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) - NQ	\$ 43.8	11/23/2005		A	364,345	<u>(3)</u>	11/22/2015	Common Stock	364,34
Phantom Stock Units	<u>(4)</u>					(5)	<u>(5)</u>	Common Stock	<u>(5)</u>

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

BUSCH AUGUST A IV ONE BUSCH PLACE ST. LOUIS, MO 63118-1852

VP and Group Executive

### **Signatures**

August A. Busch IV 11/28/2005

\*\*Signature of Date
Reporting Person

## **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).
- (1) Based on the latest plan statement as of September 30, 2005.
- (2) The options become exercisable in three equal annual installments beginning on November 23, 2006.
- (3) The options vest as follows: 121,449 on 11/23/2006, 121,448 on 11/23/2007, and 121,448 on 11/23/2008.

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- (4) Each phantom share represents the value of one actual share of Common Stock.
- (5) Represents reporting person's interest in phantom shares of Anheuser-Busch Companies, Inc. resulting from participation in the Anheuser-Busch 401(k) Restoration Plan. Phantom shares have no exercise feature nor any expiration date.

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