ALTRIA GROUP, INC.

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Form 4 or

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Form 4 July 03, 2012

# FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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1(b).

(Last)

(City)

1.Title of

Security

(Instr. 3)

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 \* FARRELL THOMAS F II

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Issuer

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

X\_ Director 10% Owner

6601 WEST BROAD STREET

(First)

(Month/Day/Year)

06/29/2012

ALTRIA GROUP, INC. [MO]

Officer (give title Other (specify below)

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

RICHMOND, VA 23230

(State) (Zip) 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially (D) or Owned Following (Instr. 4)

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4)

(A) or

Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

Common Stock

39,489 (1) D

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

(Month/Day/Year)

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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1. Title of Derivative Security		2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any	4. Transaction		5. Number		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities		8. Price of Derivative
		or Exercise			Code		Derivative		(Month/Day/Year)		(Instr. 3 and 4)		Security
(Instr. 3)		Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8	1	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)						(Instr. 5)
		Derivative Security											
		Security											
							(Instr.						
						:	and 5)						
					Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date	Expiration	Title	Amount	
									Exercisable	Date		or	
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Phan			0.610.010.10		_		363		(4)	(4)	Common	2.62	\$ 34.38
Stock		<u>(2)</u>	06/29/2012		A		(3)		<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Stock	363	(5)

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

FARRELL THOMAS F II

6601 WEST BROAD STREET X

RICHMOND, VA 23230

#### **Signatures**

Units

W. Hildebrandt Surgner, Jr. for Thomas F. Farrell II

07/03/2012

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

# **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) Includes 36,989 deferred shares held in the Stock Compensation Plan for Non-Employee Directors.
- (2) Phantom Stock Units convert to the cash value of the issuer's common stock on a 1-for-1 basis.
- (3) These units were acquired on June 29, 2012 pursuant to the Deferred Fee Plan for Non-Employee Directors.
- (4) The participant will receive distributions of phantom stock units in cash either prior to or following termination of service as a member of the issuer's board of directors, as elected by the participant.
- (5) The average of the high and low price of Altria Group, Inc. common stock on June 29, 2012.
- (6) Share equivalents held in the Deferred Fee Plan for Non-Employee Directors. This total includes the June 29, 2012 acquisition of 363 share equivalents under the Deferred Fee Plan for Non-Employee Directors since May 17, 2012, the date of the last reportable transaction.

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