BUSCH AUGUST A III

Form 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

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See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * BUSCH AUGUST A III			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
			ANHEUSER-BUSCH COMPANIES, INC. [BUD]	(Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)	X Director 10% Owner Other (specify			
ONE BUSCH PLACE			01/03/2007	below) below)			
	(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			
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(City)	(State)	(Zip) Ta	ble I - Non	-Derivative Secu	rities .	Acquired	, Disposed of, or Ben	eficially Owi	ned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquidisposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		(A) or	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficia Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock (\$1 par value)	01/03/2007		M	19,597.8675			1,453,916.8675 (1)	D	
Common Stock (\$1 par value)	01/03/2007		D	19,597.8675	D	\$ 49.22	1,434,319 (1)	D	
Common Stock (\$1 par value)							49,958 (2)	I	By Spouse
Common Stock (\$1 par value)							1,538,208	I	Beneficiary of 12/11/39 A.E. Busch TR

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Common Stock (\$1 par value)	509,856	I	Beneficiary of 2/14/39 A.E. Busch TR
Common Stock (\$1 par value)	529,916 (2)	I	CoTstee of E.O. Busch TI 11/23/55
Common Stock (\$1 par value)	529,920	I	CoTstee/Bene E.O. Busch TI 11/23/55
Common Stock (\$1 par value)	34,940 (2)	Ι	Spouse as co-trustee for daughter

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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of ctionDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or B) 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)	
	Security			Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number Shares
Phantom Stock Units	<u>(1)</u>	01/03/2007		M		19,597.8675	(3)	(3)	Common Stock	19,597 (1

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
BUSCH AUGUST A III ONE BUSCH PLACE ST. LOUIS, MO 63118-1852	X						

Signatures

Reporting Person

August A.
Busch III

**Signature of Date

Reporting Owners 2

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- * 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) Each phantom share represents the value of one actual share of Common Stock. Reporting Person settled shares of Phantom Stock for cash resulting from participation in the Anheuser-Busch 401(K) Restoration Plan.
- (2) Beneficial ownership of these shares is disclaimed.
- (3) 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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