ALTRIA GROUP INC

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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Last)

(City)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **MUNOZ GEORGE**

(First)

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

ALTRIA GROUP INC [MO]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Issuer

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

X_ Director

120 PARK AVENUE

(Month/Day/Year) 03/31/2005

Officer (give title Other (specify below) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

4. If Amendment, Date Original

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

NEW YORK, NY 10017

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

4. Securities 5. Amount of

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year) TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

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

10% Owner

(A) or

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Common Stock

Code V Amount (D) Price

1,000 D

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)

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
				Code \		of (D) (Instr. and 5) (A)	3, 4,	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Phantom Stock	<u>(1)</u>	03/31/2005		A		153 (2)		(3)	(3)	Common Stock	153	\$ 65.47 (4)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
1 8	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
MUNOZ GEORGE 120 PARK AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10017	X							

Signatures

Units

G. Penn Holsenbeck for George Munoz

04/04/2005

**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) Phantom stock units convert to common stock on a 1-for-1 basis.
- (2) These units were acquired on March 31, 2005 pursuant to the deferred fee program of the Altria 1992 Compensation Plan for Non-Emp loyee Directors.
- (3) These units are to be settled in cash upon the reporting person's termination as a member of the issuer's board of directors.
- (4) The average of the high and low price of Altria Group, Inc. Common Stock on March 31, 2005.

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