ANHEUSER-BUSCH COMPANIES, INC.

Form 4 May 02, 2006

### FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** 

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* LOUCKS VERNON R JR

(First)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

ANHEUSER-BUSCH

COMPANIES, INC. [BUD] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

1101 SKOKIE BLVD., SUITE 240 05/01/2006

(Middle)

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

10% Owner

Other (specify

7. Nature of

Ownership

(Instr. 4)

Indirect

(D) or Indirect Beneficial

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\_X\_\_ Director

Officer (give title

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

(I)

(Instr. 4)

6. Ownership

Form: Direct

Person

Issuer

below)

NORTHBROOK, IL 60062

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 5. Amount of 1.Title of 3. 4. Securities Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Securities (Instr. 3) Code Beneficially Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Owned Following

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

Code V Amount (D) Price

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 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 5. Number 6. Date Exercisable and 7. Title and Amount of 8. l (Month/Day/Year) Transaction of Derivative Expiration Date Underlying Securities De Derivative Conversion Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3 and 4) Security or Exercise Code Securities Sec any

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/	Year) (Instr.	8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)					
			Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 44.85	05/01/2006	A		5,000		<u>(1)</u>	04/30/2016	Common Stock	5,000

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

LOUCKS VERNON R JR 1101 SKOKIE BLVD., SUITE 240 X NORTHBROOK, IL 60062

### **Signatures**

Laura H. Reeves, Attorney-in-Fact for Vernon R. Loucks, Jr. 05/02/2006

\*\*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) Vesting is as follows: 1,667 on 05/01/2007; 1,667 on 05/01/2008; 1,666 on 05/01/2009.

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