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Check thi if no long subject to Section 14 Form 4 or Form 5 obligatior may conti <i>See</i> Instru 1(b).	6. Filed purs Section 17(a	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								Expires: January 31, 2005 Estimated average burden hours per response 0.5		
(Print or Type R	Responses)											
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> SANTEL THOMAS W			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol ANHEUSER-BUSCH COMPANIES, INC. [BUD]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
(Last) (First) (Middle) ONE BUSCH PLACE			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/01/2006					Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) VP - Corporate Development				
Fil				4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)					<ul> <li>6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)</li> <li>_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person</li> <li> Form filed by More than One Reporting</li> </ul>			
ST. LOUIS,	MO 63118-1852							Person		porting		
(City)	(State) (	Zip)	Table	e I - Non-Do	erivative S	Securi	ties Aco	quired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficia	lly Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution any	med on Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) Code V	Disposed (Instr. 3,	l (A) o l of (D	)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock (\$1 par value)	01/01/2006			A	4,216 (1)	(D) A	\$ 0	37,562	D			
Common Stock (\$1 par value)								8,686 <u>(2)</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)	4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	i	ate	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Phantom Stock Units	<u>(3)</u>				(4)	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	<u>(4)</u>	

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
SANTEL THOMAS W ONE BUSCH PLACE ST. LOUIS, MO 63118-1852			VP - Corporate Development				
<u>.</u>							

### Signatures

Laura H. Reeves, Attorney-in-Fact for Thomas W. Santel

\*\*Signature of 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).

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Date

- (1) Award of performance-vesting restricted stock under shareholder approved equity incentive plan pursuant to Rule 16b-3(d).
- (2) Based on the latest plan statement as of September 30, 2005.
- (3) Each phantom share represents the value of one actual share of Common Stock.
- (4) 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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