

ANHEUSER-BUSCH COMPANIES, INC.

Form 4

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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**BAKER W RANDOLPH**

2. Issuer Name and 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**  
  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
**05/21/2008**

\_\_\_\_ Director  
 Officer (give title below)  
\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
**VP and CFO**

**ST. LOUIS, MO 63118-1852**

(City) (State) (Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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

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 Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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 Ownership: Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price
Common Stock (\$1 par value)	05/21/2008		S		32,500	D	\$ 51.95 254,492
Common Stock (\$1 par value)	05/21/2008		S		4,300	D	\$ 51.96 250,192
Common Stock (\$1 par value)	05/21/2008		S		5,700	D	\$ 51.97 244,492
Common Stock (\$1 par value)	05/21/2008		S		5,279	D	\$ 51.98 239,213

par value)

Common Stock (\$1 par value)	05/21/2008	S	2,100	D	\$ 52.0001	237,113	D	
Common Stock (\$1 par value)						41,200	I	TR UA Spouse's trusts FBO daughters
Common Stock (\$1 par value)						5,360	I	By daughters
Common Stock (\$1 par value)						33,520 <sup>(1)</sup>	I	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)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or 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)	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>(2)</u>					<u>(3)</u>	<u>(3)</u>	Common Stock	<u>(3)</u>

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other

BAKER W RANDOLPH  
ONE BUSCH PLACE  
ST. LOUIS, MO 63118-1852

VP and CFO

## Signatures

W. Randolph  
Baker

05/22/2008

\*\*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) Based on the latest plan statement as of 3/31/08.
  - (2) Each phantom share represents the value of one actual share of Common Stock.
  - (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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