ANHEUSER-BUSCH COMPANIES, INC.

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * JONES JAMES R

(First)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Issuer

Symbol

05/01/2008

ANHEUSER-BUSCH COMPANIES, INC. [BUD]

(Check all applicable)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Middle)

(Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

X_ Director Officer (give title below)

10% Owner Other (specify

MANATT JONES GLOBAL STRATEGIES, LLC, 700 12TH STREET, N.W.

(Street)

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

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

WASHINGTON, DC 20005-4075

(City) (State) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

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

Reported (A)

Transaction(s)

(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)

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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)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on f Derivativ Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Month/Day	Pate	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities	8. Pric Deriva Securi (Instr.
				Code V	(A) (D) Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Deferred Stock Units	\$ 49.69	05/01/2008		A(1)	2,414	(1)	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	2,414	\$ 49

Reporting Owners

Relationships

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10%
Owner Other

JONES JAMES R MANATT JONES GLOBAL STRATEGIES, LLC 700 12TH STREET, N.W. WASHINGTON, DC 20005-4075



Signatures

Laura H. Reeves, Attorney-in-Fact for James R. Jones

05/05/2008

**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).
- Award of deferred stock units under shareholder approved 2008 Long-Term Equity Incentive Plan for Non-Employee Directors. Award (1) vests one year following date of the award. Settlement of deferred stock units occurs upon death, disability or separation of service and will be made in shares of stock equal to the number of deferred stock units.

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