WHITACRE EDWARD E JR

Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

WHITACRE EDWARD E JR

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

ANHEUSER-BUSCH COMPANIES, INC. [BUD]

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(City)

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

11/12/2008

X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

AT&T INC., 745 E. MULBERRY

(Zip)

AVE., SUITE 475

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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

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

Issuer

below)

SAN ANTONIO, TX 78212

(Street)

(State)

1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		3.	4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D)	5. Amount of Securities
•	(Month Day Tear)	Execution Date, ii		* * *	
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	Beneficially
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)		Owned
					Following
				(4)	Reported
				(A)	Transaction(s)
				or	` '
			0 1 17	(D) D:	(Instr. 3 and 4)

Amount of ecurities eneficially (D) or wned ollowing eported

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

Common

Stock (\$1 11/12/2008 par value)

11/12/2008

206 (1) D F

Code V Amount (D)

Price

4,676

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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	2.	3. Transaction Date		4.	5.	6. Date Exerc		7. Titl		8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transact Code (Instr. 8)	orNumber of Derivativ Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	:		Amou Under Securi (Instr.	lying	Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

WHITACRE EDWARD E JR AT&T INC. 745 E. MULBERRY AVE., SUITE 475 SAN ANTONIO, TX 78212

X

Signatures

Laura H. Reeves, Attorney-in-Fact for Edward E. Whitacre

11/14/2008

**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) Shares withheld to pay taxes applicable to the vesting of Restricted Stock.

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