ANHEUSER-BUSCH COMPANIES, INC. Form 10-K/A May 26, 2006

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D. C. 20549

FORM 10-K/A

(Amendment No. 1)

ANNUAL REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTIONS 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

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x Annual Report Pursuant to Section 13 or 15 For the Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 20 or	· ·
	r 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934
For the transition period fromt	
Commissi	on File Number 1-7823
ANHEUSER-BU	USCH COMPANIES, INC.
(Exact Name of Re	gistrant as Specified in Its Charter)
DELAWARE	43-1162835
(State or Other Jurisdiction of	(I.R.S. Employer
Incorporation or Organization)	Identification No.)
ONE BUSCH PLACE, ST. LOUIS,	
MISSOURI	63118
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)	(Zip Code)
Registrant's telephone nur	mber, including area code: 314-577-2000
Securities registered p	oursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:
	Name of Each Exchang
Title of Each Class	on Which Registered
Common Stock—\$1 par value	New York Stock Exchange
6½% Debentures Due January 1, 2028	New York Stock Exchange
Securities registered p	oursuant to Section 12(g) of the Act:
	None

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Indicate by check mark	if the registrant is a well-kno	own seasoned issuer, a	s defined in Rule 405	5 of the Securities
Act. Yes ü No				

Indicate by check mark if the registrant is not required to file reports pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Act. Yes __ No \(\text{u}\)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days. Yes ü No ___

Indicate by check mark if disclosure of delinquent filers pursuant to Item 405 of Regulation S-K is not contained herein, and will not be contained, to the best of registrant's knowledge, in definitive proxy or information statements incorporated by reference in Part III of this Form 10-K or any amendment to this Form 10-K. [ü]

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer or a non-accelerated filer. See definition of "accelerated filer and large accelerated filer" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act.

Large Accelerated Filer b Accelerated Filer o Non-Accelerated Filer o

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act) Yes __ No ü

As of June 30, 2005, the aggregate market value of the voting stock held by non-affiliates of the registrant was \$35,239,758,613.

Indicate the number of shares outstanding of each of the registrant's classes of common stock, as of the latest practicable date.

\$1 Par Value Common Stock 776,361,447 shares as of March 1, 2006

DOCUMENTS INCORPORATED BY REFERENCE

Portions of Annual Report to Shareholders for the Year Ended December 31, PART I, PART II, and 2005

Portions of Definitive Proxy Statement for Annual Meeting of Stockholders on

April 26, 2006 PART III

Available on the Web at www.anheuser-busch.com

Item 8. Financial Statements and Supplementary Data

Included as Exhibit 99 to this Form 10-K/A are the consolidated financial statements and related footnotes (collectively, "the financial statements") of the company's non-controlled affiliate, Grupo Modelo S.A. de C.V. Anheuser-Busch is required to include the Modelo financial statements in Form 10-K/A due to Modelo meeting certain tests of significance under SEC Rule S-X 3-09.

The financial statements are prepared by Grupo Modelo in accordance with Mexican generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP). The management of Grupo Modelo is solely responsible for the form and content of the Modelo financial statements. Anheuser-Busch has no responsibility for the form or content of the Modelo financial statements since Anheuser-Busch does not control Modelo and is not involved in the management of Modelo. The accounting and reporting requirements of the SEC and the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002 do not apply to the Modelo financial statements or to Modelo's system of internal accounting controls and control over financial reporting.

See Note 18 of the Modelo financial statements for a discussion of the principal differences between Mexican GAAP and U. S. GAAP.

Item 15. Exhibits, Financial Statement Schedules

Item 15 on pages 17 through 19 of the Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2005 is amended by the addition of the following exhibits:

Exhibit Consent of Independent Registered Public Accounting 23.1 - Firm.

Exhibit Certification of Chief Executive Officer required by

31.3 - Rule 13a-14(a) and 15d-14(a) under the Exchange Act.

Exhibit Certification of Chief Financial Officer required by

31.4 - Rule 13a-14(a) and 15d-14(a) under the Exchange Act.

Exhibit Certification of Chief Executive Officer pursuant to 18

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Exhibit Audited Consolidated Financial Statements of Grupo

99 - Modelo, S.A. de C.V. and Subsidiaries.

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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

ANHEUSER-BUSCH COMPANIES, INC. (Registrant)

By /s/ W. Randolph Baker W. Randolph Baker Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

Date: May 26, 2006

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, this report has been signed below by the following persons on behalf of the registrant and in the capacities and on the dates indicated.

Principal Executive Officer:

Patrick T. Stokes*

President and Chief Executive Officer

Principal Financial Officer:

W. Randolph Baker

Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

Principal Accounting Officer:

John F. Kelly*

Vice President and Controller

/s/ W. Randolph Baker

(W. Randolph Baker, as attorney-in-fact and on his own behalf as Principal Financial Officer)

Date: May 26, 2006

Directors:

Patrick T. Stokes*

August A. Busch III*

Carlos Fernandez G.*

Joyce M. Roché*

James J. Forese*

Henry Hugh Shelton*

John E. Jacob*

James R. Jones*

Charles F. Knight*

Vilma S. Martinez*

William Porter Payne*

Joyce M. Roché*

Henry Hugh Shelton*

Andrew C. Taylor*

Douglas A. Warner III*

Edward E. Whitacre, Jr.

Vernon R. Loucks, Jr.*

^{*} by power of attorney

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