

ANHEUSER-BUSCH COMPANIES, INC.

Form 11-K

September 29, 2005

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

FORM 11-K

FOR ANNUAL REPORTS OF EMPLOYEE STOCK PURCHASE, SAVINGS AND
SIMILAR PLANS PURSUANT TO SECTION 15(d) OF THE
SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

(x) Annual report pursuant to Section 15(d) of the Securities
Exchange Act of 1934

For the Fiscal year ended March 31, 2005

OR

() Transition report pursuant to Section 15(d) of the Securities
Exchange Act of 1934

For the Transition period From _____ to _____

Commission File Number _____

A. Full title of the plan and the address of the plan, if different from
that of the issuer named below:

ANHEUSER-BUSCH DEFERRED INCOME STOCK PURCHASE AND SAVINGS PLAN
(For Certain Hourly Employees of Anheuser-Busch Companies, Inc.
and its Subsidiaries)

B. Name of issuer of the securities held pursuant to the plan and the
address of its principal executive office:

ANHEUSER-BUSCH COMPANIES, INC.
One Busch Place
St. Louis, Missouri 63118

REQUIRED INFORMATION

A. Financial Statements and Exhibits

Report of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm

Financial Statements*:

Statements of Net Assets Available for Benefits

Statements of Changes in Net Assets Available for Benefits

Notes to Financial Statements

B. Exhibits

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