ANHEUSER-BUSCH COMPANIES, INC. Form 4

November 19, 2008 OMB APPROVAL FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION OMB 3235-0287 Washington, D.C. 20549 Number: Check this box January 31, Expires: if no longer 2005 STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF subject to Estimated average **SECURITIES** Section 16. burden hours per Form 4 or response... 0.5 Form 5 Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction 1(b). (Print or Type Responses) 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading KASEN KEITH M Issuer Symbol ANHEUSER-BUSCH (Check all applicable) COMPANIES, INC. [BUD] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner X_Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) below) ONE BUSCH PLACE 11/18/2008 Strategy Committee Member (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting ST. LOUIS, MO 63118-1852 Person (City) (State) (Zip) 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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	Securities Beneficially Owned	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
			Code V	(A) or Amount (D) Price	Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
Common Stock (\$1 par value)	11/18/2008	11/18/2008	D	$\frac{25,964}{(1)} D $ $ 70$	0 (3)	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)

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. 5. Number of TransactiorDerivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Options	\$ 37.8907	11/18/2008	11/18/2008	D	2,638	(4)	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	2,638
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Employee Stock Options	\$ 48.875	11/18/2008	11/18/2008	D	2,046	(4)	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	2,046
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Employee Stock Options	\$ 42.945	11/18/2008	11/18/2008	D	2,328	(4)	(4)	Common Stock	2,328
Employee Stock Options	\$ 42.945	11/18/2008	11/18/2008	D	19,672	(4)	(4)	Common Stock	19,672
Employee Stock Options	\$ 49.91	11/18/2008	11/18/2008	D	2,003	<u>(4)</u>	(4)	Common Stock	2,003
Employee Stock Options	\$ 49.91	11/18/2008	11/18/2008	D	19,997	(4)	(4)	Common Stock	19,997
Employee Stock Options	\$ 47.535	11/18/2008	11/18/2008	D	78,000	(4)	(4)	Common Stock	78,000
Employee Stock Options	\$ 52.26	11/18/2008	11/18/2008	D	1,913	(4)	(4)	Common Stock	1,913
Employee Stock Options	\$ 52.26	11/18/2008	11/18/2008	D	98,087	(4)	(4)	Common Stock	98,087
Employee Stock Options	\$ 50.285	11/18/2008	11/18/2008	D	1,988	(4)	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	1,988

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Employee Stock Options	\$ 43.8	11/18/2008	11/18/2008	D	2,283	(4)	(4)	Common Stock	2,283
Employee Stock Options	\$ 43.8	11/18/2008	11/18/2008	D	88,522	(4)	(4)	Common Stock	88,522
Employee Stock Options	\$ 46.37	11/18/2008	11/18/2008	D	2,156	(4)	(4)	Common Stock	2,156
Employee Stock Options	\$ 46.37	11/18/2008	11/18/2008	D	80,063	(4)	(4)	Common Stock	80,063
Employee Stock Options	\$ 51.89	11/18/2008	11/18/2008	D	1,927	(4)	(4)	Common Stock	1,927
Employee Stock Options	\$ 51.89	11/18/2008	11/18/2008	D	106,414	(4)	(4)	Common Stock	106,414
Phantom Stock Units	(5)	11/18/2008	11/18/2008	D	666	(6)	<u>(6)</u>	Common Stock	666

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
I. S.	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
KASEN KEITH M ONE BUSCH PLACE ST. LOUIS, MO 63118-1852			Strategy Committee Member				
Signatures							

Signatures Laura H. Reeves. Att

Laura H. Reeves, Attorney-in-Fact for Keith M. Kasen	11/19/2008	
<u>**</u> 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).
- Pursuant to the Agreement and Plan of Merger by and among the Company, InBev N.V/S.A. and Pestalozzi Acquisition Corp. dated July(1) 13, 2008, these shares were cancelled at the effective time of the merger in exchange for cash equal to the product of (a) the number of shares and (b) the per share merger consideration of \$70.00.
- (2) Includes shares held in an automatic dividend reinvestment plan.

Additionally, pursuant to the Agreement and Plan of Merger by and among the Company, InBev N.V/S.A. and Pestalozzi Acquisition (3) Corp. dated July 13, 2008, all shares held in the Company's 401(k) Plan were cancelled at the effective time of the merger in exchange for

corp. dated July 13, 2008, all shares held in the Company's 401(k) Plan were cancelled at the effective time of the merger in exchange to cash equal to the product of (a) the number of shares and (b) the per share merger consideration of \$70.00.

Pursuant to the Agreement and Plan of Merger by and among the Company, InBev N.V/S.A. and Pestalozzi Acquisition Corp. dated July 13, 2008, each outstanding unexercised option, whether vested or unvested, was cancelled at the effective time of the merger in exchange

- (4) 10, 2000, each outstanding unexcretised option, whence vested of unvested, was cancened at the effective line of the integer in exchange for cash equal to the product of (a) the number of shares underlying such option and (b) the excess of the per share merger consideration of \$70.00 over the per share exercise price of such option, less any applicable tax withholding.
- (5) Each phantom share represents the value of one actual share of Common Stock.

(6)

Pursuant to the Agreement and Plan of Merger by and among the Company, InBev N.V/S.A. and Pestalozzi Acquisition Corp. dated July 13, 2008, all Phantom Stock Units, each of which represents the value of one actual share of Common Stock and have no exercise feature or expiration date, were cancelled at the effective time of the merger for cash equal to the product of (a) the number of shares underlying

the Phantom Stock Units and (b) the per share merger consideration of \$70.00, less any applicable tax withholding.

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