

Noonan Cathy
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 Noonan Cathy

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 MOLSON COORS BREWING CO
 [TAP.A; TAP]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)
 ___ Director ___ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)
 Global Chief Synergies Officer

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 C/O MOLSON COORS BREWING COMPANY, 311 10TH STREET, NH311

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 03/15/2005

(Street)
 GOLDEN, CO 80401-0300

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
 ___ Form filed by More than One Reporting 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities 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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
Class B exchangeable shares of Molson Coors Canada Inc.	(2)					02/09/2005	(1) Class B Common Stock
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 74.355	03/15/2005		A	6,000	03/16/2006 03/16/2015	Class B Common Stock 6,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Noonan Cathy C/O MOLSON COORS BREWING COMPANY 311 10TH STREET, NH311 GOLDEN, CO 80401-0300			Global Chief Synergies Officer	

Signatures

Annita Menogan as agent for Cathy Noonan	03/17/2005
**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) The Class B exchangeable shares are redeemable by a subsidiary of Molson Coors Brewing Company at any time after February 9, 2045, for Molson Coors Brewing Company Class B Common Stock or, for non-affiliates only, the equivalent value in cash.
- (2) The shares are convertible on a 1-for-1 basis.
- (3) Reporting person holds an aggregate of 20,670 options with various exercise dates and various expiration dates.

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