ALTRIA GROUP, INC.

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * NOTO LUCIO A

(Street)

(State)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

ALTRIA GROUP, INC. [MO]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Issuer

(Last)

(First) (Middle)

(Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

X Director Officer (give title

10% Owner

120 PARK AVENUE

06/02/2006

(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

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

Applicable Line)

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

Person

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

below)

NEW YORK, NY 10017

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Securities Form: Direct Indirect Beneficially (D) or Beneficial Owned Indirect (I) Ownership Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Reported (A) or

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

Common Stock

(City)

33,352 (1) D

Common

Stock

I (2) 17,085

By Wife

(9-02)

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	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	Derivative Securities Acquired	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
	Security			(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	,				
			Code V	7 (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Phantom Stock Units	(3)	06/02/2006	A	255 (4)	(5)	(5)	Common Stock	255	\$ 72.47 (6)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

NOTO LUCIO A
120 PARK AVENUE X
NEW YORK, NY 10017

Signatures

G. Penn Holsenbeck for Lucio A. Noto

06/06/2006

Date

**Signature of Reporting Person

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) Includes 9,720 deferred shares held in the 2005 Stock Compensation Plan for Non-Employee Directors.
- The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of such securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
- (3) Phantom Stock Units convert to common stock on a 1-for-1 basis.
- (4) These units were acquired on June 2, 2006 pursuant to the deferred fee program of the Altria 1992 Compensation Plan for Non-Employee Directors.
- (5) These units are to be settled in cash upon the reporting person's termination as a member of the issuer's board of directors.
- (6) The average of the high and low price of Altria Group, Inc. common stock on June 2, 2006.
- (7) Share equivalents held in the deferred fee program of the Altria 1992 Compensation Plan for Non-Employee Directors. This includes an increase of 255 share equivalents acquired under the deferred fee program since May 8, 2006, the date holdings were last reported.

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