

MOLSON COORS BREWING CO
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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * | | 2. Date of Event Requiring Statement | 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol | |
| Â COORS JOHN K | | (Month/Day/Year) | MOLSON COORS BREWING CO [TAP] | |
| (Last) | (First) | (Middle) | 02/09/2005 | |
| C/O COORS FAMILY TRUSTS,Â MAIL STOP VR 900 | | | 4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer | 5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) |
| (Street) | | | (Check all applicable) | |
| GOLDEN,Â COÂ 80401 | | | <input type="checkbox"/> Director | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner |
| (City) | | | <input type="checkbox"/> Officer | <input type="checkbox"/> Other |
| (State) | (Zip) | | (give title below) (specify below) | |
| | | | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) | |
| | | | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person | |
| | | | <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | |

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 4) | 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4) | 3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) | 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5) |
|------------------------------------|--|---|--|
| Class B Common Stock | 9,252,994 | I <u>(1)</u> | By: Keystone Financing LLC |
| Class B Common Stock | 532 | D | Â |
| Class B Common Stock | 532 | I <u>(2)</u> | Held by wife |
| Class B Common Stock | 1,041 | I <u>(3)</u> | As custodian for son |
| Class B Common Stock | 1,041 | I <u>(3)</u> | As custodian for son |
| Class B Common Stock | 1,041 | I <u>(3)</u> | As custodian for daughter |
| Class B Common Stock | 1,041 | I <u>(3)</u> | As custodian for daughter |
| Class B Common Stock | 844 | I <u>(3)</u> | As custodian for son |
| Class B Common Stock | 509 | I <u>(3)</u> | As custodian for daughter |

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4) | 2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4) | 4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) | 6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5) |
|---|--|--|--|--|---|
| | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | | | |
| | | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| COORS JOHN K C/O COORS FAMILY TRUSTS MAIL STOP VR 900 GOLDEN, CO 80401 | Â | Â X | Â | Â |

Signatures

/s/ Jeffrey H. Coors as
Attorney-in-Fact

02/21/2005

____Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) Keystone Financing LLC ("Keystone") is a limited liability company that directly owns the reported securities. The members of Keystone, including the May Kistler Coors Trust dated, September 24, 1965 (the "Trust"), have dispositive power over the reported securities only in the event of a sale of all or substantially all of the assets of Keystone. The Reporting Person is trustee of the Trust, and in such capacity has, along with the other trustees of the Trust, dispositive power over the reported securities. As such, the Reporting Person is reporting beneficial ownership of all stock held by Keystone directly and the Trust indirectly, but disclaims beneficial ownership of the reported securities owned by Keystone and the Trust except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
 - (2) The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of all securities held by his wife and this report should 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 reason.
 - (3) Represents stock gifted to sons and daughters under Uniform Transfer to Minors Act CO.

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