

SZYMANCZYK MICHAEL E
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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 *
SZYMANCZYK MICHAEL E

(Last) (First) (Middle)

6601 WEST BROAD STREET

(Street)

RICHMOND, VA 23230

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
ALTRIA GROUP, INC. [MO]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
05/03/2010

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
Chairman and CEO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)
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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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	05/03/2010		M		38,373	A	\$ 16.9047
Common Stock	05/03/2010		F		33,752	D	\$ 21.355
Common Stock	05/03/2010		M		138,166	A	\$ 16.1639
Common Stock	05/03/2010		F		118,754	D	\$ 21.355
Common Stock	05/03/2010		M		54,837	A	\$ 16.1639

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Common Stock	05/03/2010	F	47,133	D	\$ 21.355	1,241,553	D
Common Stock	05/03/2010	M	40,844	A	\$ 18.4228	1,282,397	D
Common Stock	05/03/2010	F	37,603	D	\$ 21.355	1,244,794	D
Common Stock	05/03/2010	M	49,022	A	\$ 19.3594	1,293,816	D
Common Stock	05/03/2010	F	46,375	D	\$ 21.355	1,247,441 ⁽¹⁾	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. 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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Amount of Number of Shares
Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 16.9047	05/03/2010		M	38,373	05/10/2006 01/31/2011	Common Stock 38,373
Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 16.1639	05/03/2010		M	138,166	11/15/2006 01/31/2011	Common Stock 138,166
Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 16.1639	05/03/2010		M	54,837	11/15/2006 06/12/2011	Common Stock 54,837
Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 18.4228	05/03/2010		M	40,844	02/15/2007 06/12/2011	Common Stock 40,844
Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 19.3594	05/03/2010		M	49,022	08/23/2007 06/12/2011	Common Stock 49,022

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SZYMANCZYK MICHAEL E 6601 WEST BROAD STREET RICHMOND, VA 23230	X		Chairman and CEO	

Signatures

W. Hildebrandt Surgner, Jr. for Michael E. Szymanczyk	05/05/2010
<small>**Signature of Reporting Person</small>	<small>Date</small>

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 700,000 shares of Restricted Stock, 94,538 shares of Deferred Stock and 900 shares held in an I.R.A.

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