FORM 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* PURTELL LAWRENCE R						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ALCOA INC [AA]									icable) or	g Pei	rson(s) to Iss	vner		
(Last) (First) (Middle) 201 ISABELLA STREET					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/26/2004									Officer (give title below) Exec. VP and Ger		Gene	Other (s below) eral Couns			
(Street) PITTSBU	TTSBURGH PA 15212					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									ndividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable e) 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																				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)					Execution Date			Transaction Code (Instr. 8)			(A) (Securiti Benefic Owned Reporte		es Formially (D) Following (I) (I		n: Direct or Indirect nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
								Code	v	Amount	nt (A) OI PI		• (i	nstr. 3	3 and 4)					
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		3A. Deemed Execution Date if any (Month/Day/Yea	Code	Transaction Code (Instr.		rative rities iired r osed) : 3, 4	6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day/	ate		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)		Deriv Secu (Instr		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	у	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4)		
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Ex Da	piration te	Title	Amoun or Numbe of Shares								
Phantom Stock	(1)	11/26/2004		A		65		(2)		(2)	Common Stock	65	\$34.	365	413		D			

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. 1 For 1
- 2. Phantom stock units were acquired under the Alcoa Deferred Compensation Plan and are to be paid out in cash after termination of employment.

Remarks:

Brenda Hart (Assistant Secretary), by power of

11/29/2004

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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