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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>KELSON RICHARD B</u>						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ALCOA INC [AA]										k all app Dired			10% C	wner	
(Last) 201 ISAE	(F BELLA ST	,	Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/12/2004									X		Officer (give title below) Exec. VP at		Other (specify below)		
(Street) PITTSBU (City)	JRGH PA		.5212 Zip)		4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Indi Line) X	ividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable 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		on Date,	Code	sactior (Instr	Disposed	ties Acquired (A) I Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			and Securi Benefi Owned		ties cially Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
									Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)		e	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(111501.4)	
Common Stock 10/12/2					2/2004	004		G	V	150	D			\$ 0	308,343		D				
Common Stock																8,946			I	By Company 401(k) Plan	
	Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																				
Derivative Conversion Date Execution Date, or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any					Transaction Code (Instr.		n of		Exerci ion Da /Day/Y		Amount of			Der Sec (Ins	rice of ivative curity tr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	, E	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercis	sable	Expiration Date	Title	or Nur of	ount mber ares							

Explanation of Responses:

Remarks:

Brenda Hart (Assistant Secretary), by power of

10/13/2004

Date

attorney

** Signature of Reporting Person

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

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- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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