FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* THOMAS PAUL D						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ALCOA INC [AA]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 201 ISABELLA STREET					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/13/2005								helow)			Other (specify below) President		
(Street) PITTSBURGH PA 15212 (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
		Tab	le I - Non-D	Perivativ	e Se	curities	s Ac	quired, D	ispo	sed o	f, or Be	neficial	y Owned					
Date				Transaction ate Ionth/Day/Y	Execution D			Code (Ins	ion Dispose		ities Acquired (A) or d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a		Benefici Owned F	es ally Following	Form (D) or	: Direct r Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
								Code V	А	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			Instr. 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	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date if any (Month/Day/Yea	Code		of		6. Date Exercisable Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		e and	nd 7. Title and Amo of Securities Underlying Derivative Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Numbe derivative Securities Beneficia Owned Following Reported Transactie (Instr. 4)	e s Illy	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expi Date	iration e	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						
Employee Stock Option (right to	\$29.54	01/13/2005		A		91,400		(1)	01/1	13/2011	Common Stock	91,400	(2)	91,400	(3)	D		

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. The option vests in three equal annual installments beginning January 13, 2006.
- 2. Employee stock options are granted without payment of consideration.
- 3. In the aggregate, a total of 768,273 employee stock options (with various exercise prices and expiration dates) were beneficially owned by the reporting person as of the date of this report.

Remarks:

Brenda Hart (Assistant Secretary), by power of

01/18/2005

<u>attorney</u>

** 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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