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* <u>LEAHEY WILLIAM E JR</u>						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) 01/15/2004								helow)		√ice P	Other (s below) President	pecify	
(Street) PITTSBURGH PA 15212 (City) (State) (Zip)				4.	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, Di	ispos	ed o	f, or Be	neficial	y Owned					
Date				Transaction ate Ionth/Day/Y	Execution Date			Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5)			Benefici Owned F	es ally Following	Form (D) o	: Direct r Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
								Code V	An	nount	(A) or Price		Reported Transact (Instr. 3	tion(s)			Instr. 4)	
		-	Fable II - De (e.					uired, Dis , options,					Owned			· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		
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 I		6. Date Exercisable Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		and	7. Title and Amor of Securities Underlying Derivative Secur (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)		Date Exercisable	Expira Date	ation	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						
Employee Stock Option (right to	\$35.655	01/15/2004		A		91,400		(1)	01/15/	/2010	Common Stock	91,400	(2)	91,400	(3)	D		

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. The option vests in three equal installments beginning January 15, 2005.
- 2. Employee stock options are granted without payment of consideration.
- 3. In the aggregate, a total of 562,133 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

01/20/2004

<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).
- ** 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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