#### NOTO LUCIO A

Form 4

November 02, 2004

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading NOTO LUCIO A Issuer Symbol ALTRIA GROUP INC [MO] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) \_X\_\_ Director 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title 120 PARK AVENUE 10/29/2004 below) (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

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1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if	3. Transactio	4. Securit		5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership Form: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect
(Instr. 3)	, ,	any	Code	Disposed	` ′	Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)  Code V	(Instr. 3, 4) Amount	(A) or (D) Price	Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock						15,747 <u>(1)</u>	D	
Common Stock						610	I (2)	By Daughter
Common Stock						15,935	I (2)	By Wife

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	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4. Transactio	5. Number	6. Date Exerc Expiration D		7. Title and A Underlying S		8. Price of Derivative
Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(4.20.14.1.2.4), 1.04.1)	any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed	(Month/Day/Year)		(Instr. 3 and 4)		Security (Instr. 5)
					of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)				Amount	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	or Number of Shares	
Phantom Stock Units	(3)	10/29/2004		A	134 ( <u>4)</u>	<u>(5)</u>	<u>(5)</u>	Common Stock	134	\$ 48.4 (6)

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
reporting owner runner runners	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
NOTO LUCIO A 120 PARK AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10017	X						

# **Signatures**

G. Penn Holsenbeck for Lucio A. Noto

11/02/2004

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## **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 (i) 6,716 shares held by reporting person, (ii) 2,238 shares held jointly with spouse, (iii) 1,072 shares held in an IRA, and (iv) 5,721 deferred share equivalents held in the 2000 Stock Compensation Plan for Non-Employee Directors.
- (2) The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of such securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
- (3) Phantom stock units convert to common stock on a 1-for-1 basis.
- (4) These units were acquired on October 29, 2004 pursuant to the deferred fee program of the Altria 1992 Compensation Plan for Non-E mployee Directors.
- (5) These units are to be settled in cash upon the reporting person's termination as a member of the issuer's board of directors.
- (6) The average of the high and low price of Altria Group, Inc. Common Stock on October 29, 2004.
- (7) This is an increase of 352 share equivalents since September 30, 2004, the date deferred compensation was last reported to the SEC. The total includes share equivalents acquired and the reinvestment of dividends under the deferred fee program of the Altria 1992

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Compensation Plan for Non-Employee Directors.

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