McQUADE KATHRYN B.

Form 4

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * McQUADE KATHRYN B.

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

ALTRIA GROUP, INC. [MO]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

03/01/2018

X_ Director 10% Owner

(Check all applicable)

Other (specify Officer (give title below)

6601 WEST BROAD STREET

(First)

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date 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

RICHMOND, VA 23230

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

26,722 (1) D

Common Stock

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)

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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/Year)	4. Transac Code (Instr. 8		Deriva Securi Acqui	ative ities red (A) sposed 3, 4,	6. Date Exerc Expiration D (Month/Day/	ate	7. Title and Amount o Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Pric Deriva Securi (Instr.
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Phantom Stock Units	(2)	03/01/2018		J		0 (3)		<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	0	\$
Phantom Stock Units	(2)	03/01/2018		I			1,703 (6)	<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	1,703	\$ 63 <u>(7</u>

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
r	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
McQUADE KATHRYN B. 6601 WEST BROAD STREET RICHMOND, VA 23230	X							

Signatures

W. Hildebrandt Surgner, Jr. for Kathryn B.
McOuade
03/05/2018

**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 23,638 deferred shares held in the Stock Compensation Plan for Non-Employee Directors, including an increase of 648 shares acquired through the reinvestment of dividends since May 18, 2017, the date of the last reportable transaction.
- (2) Phantom stock units convert to the cash value of the issuer's common stock on a 1-for-1 basis.
- (3) No share equivalents acquired or disposed.
- (4) The participant will receive distributions of phantom stock units in cash either prior to or following termination of service as a member of the issuer's board of directors, as elected by the participant.
- Share equivalents held in the Deferred Fee Plan for Non-Employee Directors. This includes an increase of 203 share equivalents acquired (5) through the reinvestment of dividends and 1 share equivalent as a result of the accumulation of fractional shares since May 18, 2017, the date of the last reportable transaction.
- On February 5, 2018, the reporting person provided her irrevocable consent to transfer a portion of her Altria share equivalents into an alternative investment account in the Deferred Fee Plan for Non-Employee Directors. The shares were transferred effective March 1, 2018 pursuant to the Deferred Fee Plan.

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- (7) The average high and low price of Altria Group, Inc. common stock on February 28, 2018.
- (8) Share equivalents held in the Deferred Fee Plan for Non-Employee Directors.

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