Bunge LTD Form 4 October 04, 2005

### FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** 

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* **BACHRACH ERNEST** 

(First) (Middle) (Last)

C/O BUNGE LTD, 50 MAIN STREET - 6TH FLOOR

WHITE PLAINS, NY 10606

1.Title of

Security

(Instr. 3)

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Bunge LTD [BG]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 09/30/2005

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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X\_ Director 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

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5. Amount of

Securities

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

(City) (State) (Zip)

(Month/Day/Year)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8)

Code Disposed of (D)

Code V Amount (D) Price

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

(A)

or

Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

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

(Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

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)

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 1. Title of 5. Number of 6. Date Exercisable and 7. Title and Amount of Derivative Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionDerivative **Expiration Date Underlying Securities** Security or Exercise any Code Securities (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4, an	D)				
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Phantom Stock Units	(1)	09/30/2005		A	1,207.233		(2)	(2)	Common Stock	364.785

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			

BACHRACH ERNEST C/O BUNGE LTD 50 MAIN STREET - 6TH FLOOR WHITE PLAINS, NY 10606



### **Signatures**

/s/ Thomas F. 10/04/2005

\*\*Signature of Date
Reporting Person

### **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).

Phantom stock units are issued under the Bunge Limited Deferred Compensation Plan for Non-Employee Directors (the "Directors Plan") and are settled in cash or shares of BG common stock, at the reporting person's election. The number of shares delivered upon settlement is calculated by multiplying the number of phantom stock units by a fair market value of a phantom stock unit on the date of settlement.

- Such amount is then divided by the closing price of a share of BG common stock on the settlement date. The conversion ratio is approximately 3.3 phantom stock units per share, but the exact ratio will vary as a relatively small portion of the value of each phantom stock unit corresponds to such unit's pro rata portion of cash held in the plan.
- (2) The settlement of phantom stock units will be in cash or shares of BG common stock, at the reporting person's election, upon earlier of (a) the reporting person's termination of service with BG and (b) a change in control of BG.

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