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UNITED S SECURITIES AND EXCH WASHINGTON, D	ANGE COMMISSION
FORM 12	b-25
NOTIFICATION OF	LATE FILING
(Check one): [_] Form 10-K [_] Form 20 [_] Form 10-D [_] Form N- [_] Form N-CSR For Period Ended: December	SAR
[_] Transition Report on For For the Transition Period En	m 20-F m 11-K m 10-Q m N-SAR
Read Instruction (on back page) Before P NOTHING IN THIS FORM SHALL THAT THE COMMISSION HAS VERIFIED AN	BE CONSTRUED TO IMPLY
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PART I REGISTRANT INFORMATION	
Rio Tinto America Inc. Savings Plan	
Full Name of Registrant	

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London, SW1Y 4LD, England

City, State and Zip Code

PART II -- RULES 12b-25(b) AND (c)

If the subject report could not be filed without unreasonable effort or expense and the registrant seeks relief pursuant to Rule 12b-25(b), the following should be completed. (Check box if appropriate)

- (a) The reason described in reasonable detail in Part III of this
 form could not be eliminated without unreasonable effort or
 expense
- - (c) The accountant's statement or other exhibit required by Rule
 12b-25(c) has been attached if applicable.

SEC 1344(05-06)

PERSONS WHO ARE TO RESPOND TO THE COLLECTION OF INFORMATION CONTAINED IN THIS FORM ARE NOT REQUIRED TO RESPOND UNLESS THE FORM DISPLAYS A CURRENTLY VALID OMB CONTROL NUMBER.

PART III -- NARRATIVE

State below in reasonable detail why Forms 10-K, 20-F, 11-K, 10-Q, 10-D, N-SAR, N-CSR, or the transition report or portion thereof, could not be filed within the prescribed time period.

The registrant could not complete its annual report on Form 11-K for the year ended December 31, 2006 on a timely basis due to matters delaying the completion of the annual audit. These matters will be resolved and the report will be issued in the next 15 days or less.

PART IV -- OTHER INFORMATION

(1) Name and telephone number of person to contact in regard to this notification

(Name) Kathy K. Pike 801 252-3049 (Area Code) (Telephone Number)

(2) Have all other periodic reports required under Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30 of the Investment Company Act of 1940 during the preceding 12 months or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such report(s) been filed ? If answer is no, identify report(s).

Yes [X] No [_]

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(3) Is it anticipated that any significant change in results of operations from the corresponding period for the last fiscal year will be reflected by the earnings statements to be included in the subject report or portion thereof?

Yes [_] No [X]

If so, attach an explanation of the anticipated change, both narratively and quantitatively, and, if appropriate, state the reasons why a reasonable estimate of the results cannot be made.

RIO TINTO AMERICA INC. SAVINGS PLAN

(Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

has caused this notification to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Date June 29, 2007

By /s/ Kay G. Priestly

Name: Kay G. Priestly

Title: VP Administration and CFO

INSTRUCTION: The form may be signed by an executive officer of the registrant or by any other duly authorized representative. The name and title of the person signing the form shall be typed or printed beneath the signature. If the statement is signed on behalf of the registrant by an authorized representative (other than an executive officer), evidence of the representative's authority to sign on behalf of the registrant shall be filed with the form.