FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT	OF CHANGES	S IN BENEFICIA	L OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Sorenson Steven P					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ALLSTATE CORP [ ALL ]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner  Officer (give title X Other (specify					
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O THE ALLSTATE CORPORATION 2775 SANDERS ROAD						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/27/2009							below)  SVP Allstate Insurance Company					
(Street) NORTHBROOK IL 60062-6127				_	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							Line)	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     X Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(S		(Zip)															
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																	
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						Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transacti	Transaction(s) Instr. 3 and 4)			msu. 4)			
Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned  (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																		
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	erivative Conversion Date Execution Date, ecurity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any		Cod	ransaction of ode (Instr. Derivative		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)				
				Cod	e V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		piration te	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						
Restricted Stock Units	<b>\$0</b> <sup>(1)</sup>	02/27/2009		A		13,804		02/27/2013	02	/27/2013 <sup>(1)</sup>	Common Stock	13,804	\$0	13,804	4	D		
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$16.83	02/27/2009		A		78,446		(2)	0.	2/27/2019	Common Stock	78,446	\$0	78,44	6	D		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Award of Restricted Stock Units (RSUs) granted under The Allstate Corporation Amended and Restated 2001 Equity Incentive Plan. Each RSU represents the right to receive, without the payment of any consideration, one share of Allstate common stock on the day following the last day of the period of restriction (the conversion date). The period of restriction ends on February 26, 2013; therefore the RSUs convert on February 27, 2013.
- 2. Option exercisable in four increments, each for one-fourth of the total number of said shares, such installments to vest on February 27, 2010, February 27, 2011, February 27, 2012 and February 27, 2013, respectively.

/s/ Katherine A. Smith,

attorney-in-fact for Steven P. 03/02/2009

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\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- $^{\star}$  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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