FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     DeVries James David					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						
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O THE ALLSTATE CORPORATION 2775 SANDERS ROAD						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/24/2008								Officer (give title X Other (specify below)  SVP Allstate Insurance Company					
(Street) NORTHBROOK IL 60062-6127				4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     X Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting Person							
(City) (State) (Zip)																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Trans. Date			Transact				3. Transact				I (A) or	or 5. Amount		Form:	Direct Indirect Etr. 4)	'. Nature of ndirect Beneficial Ownership Instr. 4)			
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			Table II - De					quired, Dis					wned	,		,	,		
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	ercise (Month/Day/Year) of ative	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transa Code 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exerc Expiration Da (Month/Day/)	ate		7. Title and of Securiti Underlying Derivative (Instr. 3 an	es J Security	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported	re es ally ig d	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date		Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Transactio (Instr. 4)	in(s)				
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$48.01	03/24/2008		A		100,000		(1)	03/24/2018	(1)	Common Stock	100,000	\$0	100,00	10	D			
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$48.01	03/24/2008		A		57,700		(2)	(2)		Common Stock	57,700	\$0	57,700	ō	D			
Restricted Stock Units	\$0	03/24/2008		A		6,300		03/23/2012	03/23/2012	(3)	Common Stock	6,300	\$0	6,300	,	D			
Restricted Stock Units	\$0	03/24/2008		A		12,500		(4)	(4)		Common Stock	12,500	\$0	12,500	0	D			

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Grant to reporting person of option to purchase 100,000 shares of common stock exercisable in four increments, each for one-fourth of the total number of said shares, such installments to vest on March 24, 2009. March 24, 2010, March 24, 2011 and March 24, 2012.
- 2. Grant to reporting person of option to purchase 57,700 shares of common stock exercisable in four increments, each for one-fourth of the total number of said shares, such installments to vest on March 24, 2009, March 24, 2010, March 24, 2011 and March 24, 2012. Expiration date is March 24, 2018.
- 3. Award of Restricted Stock Units (RSUs) with tax withholding rights 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 (conversion date). The period of restriction ends on March 23, 2012.
- 4. Award of Restricted Stock Units (RSUs) with tax withholding rights 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 (conversion date). One-half of the total number of RSUs will unrestrict on March 23, 2010 and the remaining RSUs will unrestrict on March 23, 2012.

JAMESD.DEVRIES

03/26/2008

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- \* 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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