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# **UNITED STATES** SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

# FORM 8-K

#### **CURRENT REPORT**

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of report (Date of earliest event reported): November 7, 2006

## THE ALLSTATE CORPORATION

(Exact name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Delaware	1-11840	36-3871531
(State or other	(Commission	(IRS Employer
jurisdiction of	File Number)	Identification No.)
organization)		

2775 Sanders Road Northbrook, Illinois (Address of Principal Executive Offices)

60062

Zip

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (847) 402-5000

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#### Section 5 Corporate Governance and Management

#### Item 5.03. Amendments to Articles of Incorporation or Bylaws; Change in Fiscal Year.

On November 7, 2006, the Registrant s Board of Directors adopted a resolution, effective immediately, to amend the Registrant s bylaws and to restate the bylaws. The bylaws were amended to reflect the separation of the offices of the Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer and to define the respective roles. A copy of the amended and restated bylaws is filed as Exhibit 3(ii) to this report.

#### Section 9 Financial Statements and Exhibits

#### Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

#### Exhibit No. Description

3(ii) The Allstate Corporation Amended and Restated Bylaws effective November 7, 2006.

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#### **SIGNATURE**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

### THE ALLSTATE CORPORATION

By: /s/ JENNIFER M. HAGER

Name: Jennifer M. Hager Title: Assistant Secretary

Date: November 13, 2006

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