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Depositary Share) and

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Subject to completion, Preliminary Pricing Supplement dated June 2, 2014

Pricing Supplement No. 3 (To prospectus supplement dated December 2, 2013 and prospectus dated April 30, 2012) Filed Pursuant to Rule 424(b)(2) Registration Statement No. 333-181059

THE ALLSTATE CORPORATION

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EACH REPRESENTING A 1/1,000TH INTEREST IN A SHARE OF

FIXED RATE NONCUMULATIVE PERPETUAL PREFERRED STOCK, SERIES F

CUSIP Number of	Public	Size (\$/#	Dividend Rate			Initial	Make-	Proposed NYSE	Purchasing	
Depositary Shares Series	Offering Price(1)	Depositar Shares)(2	•	Dividend Frequency(4)	Maturity	Redemption Date(5) October 15,	Whole Premium(5) 45 basis	Listing Symbol(6)	Agent s Discount	I
020002853 F	\$25.00	\$	6.25%	Quarterly	Perpetual	2019	points	ALL PR F	\$0.7875	
(1) for the account of the (2)	Investment advisers, either registered under the Investment Advisers Act of 1940 or exempt therefrom, purchasing shares their advisory clients may be offered shares at up to a \$0.40 discount to the public offering price Shares to be outstanding immediately after this offering: Depositary Shares									
(3)	Dividends are payable only when, as and if declared									
(4) 2014	Dividends are payable in arrears on January 15, April 15, July 15 and October 15 of each year, commencing on October 15,									
(5) Redemption Date sp	The Issuer may, at its option, redeem the shares of Preferred Stock (i) in whole but not in part at any time prior to the Initial pecified above, within 90 days after the occurrence of a rating agency event at a redemption price equal to \$25,000 per share									

⁽B) all undeclared dividends for the dividend periods from the date of redemption to and including the Initial Redemption Date specified above, in each case, discounted to the date of redemption on a quarterly basis at a discount rate equal to the treasury rate plus the Make-Whole Premium

of Preferred Stock (or \$25 per Depositary Share), or if greater, the present values of (A) \$25,000 per share of Preferred Stock (or \$25 per

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specified above, plus, in each case, any declared and unpaid dividends, without regard to any undeclared dividends, to but excluding the redemption date, or (ii) in whole or in part, from time to time, on any dividend payment date on or after the Initial Redemption Date specified above at a redemption price equal to \$25,000 per share of Preferred Stock (or \$25 per Depositary Share), plus any declared and unpaid dividends, without regard to any undeclared dividends, to but excluding the redemption date

(6) If approved for listing, trading of the Depositary Shares is expected to commence within a 90-day period after June 2014, the expected original issuance date of the Depositary Shares

Offering Date: June 2, 2014 through June , 2014

Trade Date: June , 2014

Settlement Date: June , 2014 (T+3)

Minimum Denomination/Increments: \$25.00/\$25.00

Purchasing Agent: Incapital LLC

Trades settle flat and clear SDFS: DTC Book Entry

DTC Number 0235 via RBC Dain Rauscher Inc.

^{*} The Incapital LEOPARDS program provides for the Long Execution of Preferred and Related Debt Securities