Merten Jesse E Form 4 January 08, 2018

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Merten Jesse E

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Issuer

below)

ALLSTATE CORP [ALL]

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Director X_ Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

C/O THE ALLSTATE **CORPORATION, 2775 SANDERS** RD.

(Street)

(First)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

EVP & Chief Risk Officer (AIC)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Month/Day/Year)

01/04/2018

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

NORTHBROOK, IL 60062

(State) (Zip) (City)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

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

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative

Conversion

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

Transactionof

5. Number 6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date**

7. Title and Amount of 8. Underlying Securities

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| Security (Instr. 3) | or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | | any (Month/Day/Year) | Code (Instr. 8 | 3) | Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | | (Month/Day/Year) | | (Instr. 3 and 4) | |
|--|---|------------|-------------------------|-------------------|----|---|-----|---------------------|--------------------|------------------|--|
| | | | | Code ' | V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 100.8 | 01/04/2018 | | A | | 700 | | <u>(1)</u> | 01/04/2028 | Common Stock | 700 |
| Restricted Stock Units | <u>(2)</u> | 01/04/2018 | | A | | 139 | | 01/04/2021 | 01/04/2021 | Common Stock | 139 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | | |
|--------------------------------|---------------|-----------|------------|-------|--|--|--|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | | |
| Merten Jesse E | | | EVP & | | | | |
| C/O THE ALLSTATE CORPORATION | | | Chief Risk | | | | |
| 2775 SANDERS RD. | | | Officer | | | | |
| NORTHBROOK, IL 60062 | | | (AIC) | | | | |
| | | | | | | | |

Signatures

/s/ Jesse E.
Merten

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
- (1) Option exercisable in three increments, with one third vesting on January 4, 2019, January 4, 2020, and January 4, 2021, with any fractional shares to be rounded as provided for in award agreement.

Award of Restricted Stock Units (RSUs) granted under The Allstate Corporation 2013 Equity Incentive Plan. Each RSU represents the right to receive, without the payment of any consideration, one share of Allstate common stock (on the conversion date), which is January 4, 2021.

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