ALLSTATE CORP Form 4 July 26, 2005

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

(Last)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* SYLLA CASEY

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

ALLSTATE CORP [ALL]

(Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

> (Month/Day/Year) 07/22/2005

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner \_\_X\_\_ Other (specify Officer (give title below) below)

President Allstate Financial

THE ALLSTATE CORPORATION, 2775 SANDERS **ROAD** 

(Street)

(First)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

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NORTHBROOK, IL 60062-6127

(State)

07/25/2005

Stock

(City) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 7. Nature of 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) 5. Amount of 6. Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) Owned Direct (D) Ownership (Instr. 8)

**Following** or Indirect Reported (I) (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price Common 07/22/2005 \$ 42.5 M 35,511 Α 113,114 D Stock Common 07/22/2005 40,000 \$ 39.19 D M A 153,114 Stock Common 07/22/2005 S 75,511 D \$61.05 77,603 D Stock Common D 07/25/2005 M 91.020 Α \$ 35 168,623 Stock Common

 $F^{(1)}$ 

15,422 D

\$ 61.35

153,201

(Instr. 4)

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Common Stock	07/25/2005	S	73,612 D	\$ 61.3179	79,589	D	
Common Stock					1,974.8345 (2)	I	by 401(k) Plan

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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 Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of tiorDerivative Securities ) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 35	07/25/2005		M		91,020	08/12/2000	08/12/2009	Common Stock	91,020
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 39.19	07/22/2005		M		40,000	01/04/2000	01/04/2009	Common Stock	40,000
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 42.5	07/22/2005		M		35,511	08/13/1999	08/13/2008	Common Stock	35,511

# **Reporting Owners**

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address Director 10% Owner Officer Other

**SYLLA CASEY** THE ALLSTATE CORPORATION President Allstate Financial

2 Reporting Owners

2775 SANDERS ROAD NORTHBROOK, IL 60062-6127

### **Signatures**

CASEY J SYLLA

07/26/2005

\*\*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) Delivery of shares to issuer to pay minimum tax withholding liability incurred in connection with the exercise.
- (2) Reflects acquisition of 18.4968 shares of The Allstate Corporation common stock since February 7, 2005 under The Savings and Profit Sharing Fund of Allstate Employees, a 401(k) plan, pursuant to the most recent plan statement, dated July 25, 2005.

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