GASAWAY SHARILYN S

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1(b).

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Stock

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading **GASAWAY SHARILYN S** Issuer Symbol ALLTEL CORP [AT] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify ONE ALLIED DRIVE 01/19/2005 below) below) Controller (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting LITTLE ROCK, AR 72202 Person

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

Reported (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price 5,000 Common \$

A

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

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Following

8,750

55.26

(Instr. 4)

D

(Instr. 4)

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

(1)

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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 orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amour Underlying Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Sh
Incentive Stock Option	\$ 55.26	01/19/2005	01/19/2005	A	1,809	(2)	01/19/2015	Common Stock	1,8
Non-Qualified Stock Option	\$ 55.26	01/19/2005	01/19/2005	A	18,191	(2)	01/19/2015	Common Stock	18,1

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Officer Director 10% Owner Other

GASAWAY SHARILYN S ONE ALLIED DRIVE LITTLE ROCK, AR 72202

Controller

Signatures

/s/ Gasaway, 01/21/2005 Sharilyn S

**Signature of Reporting Date

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- 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).
- These shares were issued under an equity incentive plan adopted on January 21, 2004, in accordance with Rule 16b-3(d) and are subject (1) to a substantial risk of forfeiture until vested. The shares vest in three equal annual installments beginning on the one year anniversary of the date of issuance.
- These options were granted on January 19, 2005, in accordance with Rule 16b-3(d) under a stock option plan and expire ten years after (2) the date of grant. Each grant becomes exercisable beginning one year after the date of grant in increments of 20% of the grant per year, and is fully exercisable after the fifth year.

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