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

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting

Person *

Tencza Gregory J

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

04/09/2007

2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

ALLIANCEBERNSTEIN HOLDING L.P. [AB]

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(give title below) (specify below)

Senior Vice President

5. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

C/O ALLIANCEBERNSTEIN L.P., Â 1345 AVENUE OF THE **AMERICAS**

(Street)

Director _X__ Officer

10% Owner Other

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting

Person

Form filed by More than One

Reporting Person

NEW YORK. NYÂ 10105

(City) (State)

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)

(Zip)

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

(Instr. 4)

3. Ownership

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership

(Instr. 5) Form: Direct (D)

or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially

owned directly or indirectly.

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

1. Title of Derivative Security

(Instr. 4)

2. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date**

(Month/Day/Year)

3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying **Derivative Security** (Instr. 4)

Conversion or Exercise Price of

4.

5. Ownership Form of Derivative

6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial

Ownership

(Instr. 5)

Derivative Security: Security Direct (D)

Date Exercisable Expiration

Date

Title

Amount or Number of

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				Shares		or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Employee unit option (right to buy)	01/26/2008(1)	01/26/2017	Holding Units (3)	11,306	\$ 90.65	D	Â
Employee unit option (right to buy)	01/26/2013(2)	01/26/2018	Holding Units	22,638	\$ 90.65	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
Tencza Gregory J C/O ALLIANCEBERNSTEIN L.P. 1345 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS NEW YORK Â NYÂ 10105	Â	Â	Senior Vice President	Â	

Signatures

/s/ Gregory J.
Tencza

**Signature of Reporting Person

O4/13/2007

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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) The option vests in 20% increments on each of January 26, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, and 2012.
- (2) The option vests in 20% increments on each of January 26, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, and 2017.
- (3) Units representing assignments of beneficial ownership of limited partnership interests in AllianceBernstein Holding L.P. ("Holding Units")

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