ALLIANCEBERNSTEIN HOLDING L.P.

Form 4 May 26, 2015

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **ELLIOTT STEVEN G**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

ALLIANCEBERNSTEIN

HOLDING L.P. [AB]

Director 10% Owner

(Check all applicable)

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

(First)

AMERICAS

(Last)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

05/21/2015

Officer (give title below)

Other (specify

(Street) 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

NEW YORK, NY 10105

(Middle)

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

(City) (State) (Zip) 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Execution Date, if Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8)

3,781

(2)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

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

(A)

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

Code V Amount (D) Price

Units rep. assignments

interests (1)

Security

(Instr. 3)

of beneficial 05/21/2015 owner. of lp

A

\$ 31.74 20,415 A (3)

D

(I)

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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Titl	e and	8. Price of	9. Nu
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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

ELLIOTT STEVEN G C/O ALLIANCEBERNSTEIN L.P. 1345 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS NEW YORK, NY 10105

Signatures

/s/ Mona Bhalla, by power of attorney

05/26/2015

Date

**Signature of Reporting Person

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) Units representing assignments of beneficial ownership of limited partnership interests in AllianceBernstein Holding L.P. ("AB Holding Units").
- (2) Reporting Person was awarded 3,781 restricted AB Holding Units under the AllianceBernstein 2010 Long Term Incentive Plan, as amended. Restrictions lapse on all 3,781 AB Holding Units on May 21, 2018.
- (3) The closing price of an AB Holding Unit on May 21, 2015, the grate date.

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