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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

MAYER MARC O

Symbol **ALLIANCEBERNSTEIN** 

(Month/Day/Year)

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

HOLDING L.P. [AB] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Director 10% Owner Other (specify X\_ Officer (give title

C/O ALLIANCEBERNSTEIN

05/11/2006

**Executive Vice President** 

L.P., 1345 AVENUE OF THE **AMERICAS** 

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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

below)

NEW YORK, NY 10105

| (City)  | (State)                              | (Zip) Tal   | , or Beneficially Owned                 |  |         |                   |  |  |   |
|---|--------------------------------------|---|---|--|---------|-------------------|--|--|---|
| 1.Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3)                | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3.<br>Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 4. Securit<br>for Dispos<br>(Instr. 3, 4 | ed of ( | ` ′               | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
| units rep. assign. of ben. own. of lp interests (1) | 05/11/2006                           |   | S                                       | 25,000                                   | , ,     | \$ 66.3264<br>(2) | 57,935 <u>(3)</u>  | D  |   |
| Holding<br>Units                                    | 02/03/2006                           |   | A(4)                                    | 10,953                                   | A       | \$ 56.49          | 71,685 (3) (5)   | I  | by rabbi<br>trust   |

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                     | le and              | 8. Price of | 9 |
|-------------|------------------------|---------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|------------|------------------|-------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|-------------|---|
| Derivative  | Conversion or Exercise | (Month/Day/Year)    | Execution Date, if      | TransactionNumber |            | Expiration Date  |             | Amount of                   |                     | Derivative  | J |
| Security    |                        |                     | any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | Code              | of         | (Month/Day/Year) |             | Underlying                  | Security (Instr. 5) | ,           |   |
| (Instr. 3)  | Price of               |                     |                         | (Instr. 8)        | Derivative |                  |             | Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) |                     | ]           |   |
|             | Derivative             |                     |                         |                   | Securities |                  |             |                             |                     |             | ( |
|             | Security               |                     |                         |                   | Acquired   |                  |             |                             |                     |             | J |
|             |                        |                     |                         |                   | (A) or     |                  |             |                             |                     |             | J |
|             |                        |                     |                         |                   | Disposed   |                  |             |                             |                     |             | 7 |
|             |                        |                     |                         |                   | of (D)     |                  |             |                             |                     |             | ( |
|             |                        |                     |                         |                   | (Instr. 3, |                  |             |                             |                     |             |   |
|             |                        |                     |                         |                   | 4, and 5)  |                  |             |                             |                     |             |   |
|             |                        |                     |                         |                   |            |                  |             |                             | Amount              |             |   |
|             |                        |                     |                         |                   |            |                  |             |                             | or                  |             |   |
|             |                        |                     |                         |                   |            | Date             | Expiration  |                             | Number              |             |   |
|             |                        |                     |                         |                   |            | Exercisable      | Date        | Titic                       | of                  |             |   |
|             |                        |                     |                         | Code V            | (A) (D)    |                  |             |                             | Shares              |             |   |
|             |                        |                     |                         | Code V            | (II)       |                  |             |                             | Dilaics             |             |   |

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

MAYER MARC O C/O ALLIANCEBERNSTEIN L.P. 1345 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS NEW YORK, NY 10105

**Executive Vice President** 

### **Signatures**

/s/ Mark Manley, by

pwr. att'y 05/12/2006

\*\*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) Units representing assignments of beneficial ownership of limited partnership interests in AllianceBernstein Holding L.P. ("Holding Units")
- (2) Reporting Person sold 25,000 Holding Units at prices ranging from \$65.22 to \$67.78. The price set forth in the table is the weighted average of his sales at these prices.
- (3) On January 31, 2006, 17,214 Holding Units Reporting Person had owned indirectly through a rabbi trust under an employee deferred compensation plan were distributed to him.
- (4) Reporting Person notionally invested a portion of his 2005 award under an employee deferred compensation plan in Holding Units. In so doing, he acquired 10,953 Holding Units. The award vests (restrictions lapse) in equal annual increments on each of December 1, 2006,

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(5) Total includes 240 Holding Units acquired through distribution reinvestment under an employee deferred compensation plan.

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