ALLSTATE CORP Form 8-K July 18, 2011

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

#### FORM 8-K

### CURRENT REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Date of report (Date of earliest event reported): July 17, 2011

THE ALLSTATE CORPORATION (Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

Delaware
----(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

1-11840 36-3871531
----(Commission File Number) (IRS Employer Identification No.)

2775 Sanders Road, Northbrook, Illinois 60062

(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (847) 402-5000

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

[ ]	Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
[ ]	Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
[ ]	Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act

# Edgar Filing: ALLSTATE CORP - Form 8-K

(17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))

[	] Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

# Edgar Filing: ALLSTATE CORP - Form 8-K

#### Section 5 - Corporate Governance and Management

Item Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers;

5.02. Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

On July 18, 2011, the Registrant issued a press release announcing the departure from the Registrant of Joseph P. Lacher, Jr., President of Allstate Protection, effective July 17, 2011. A copy of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99 to this report.

#### Section 9 – Financial Statements and Exhibits

Item Financial Statements and

9.01. Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit No. Description

99 Registrant's press release dated July 18, 2011

2

# Edgar Filing: ALLSTATE CORP - Form 8-K

#### **SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

#### THE ALLSTATE CORPORATION

By: /s/ Mary J. McGinn

Name: Mary J. McGinn

Title: Senior Vice President, Deputy General Counsel, and Secretary

Date: July 18, 2011

3