

Dalrymple Christopher Kent
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 Dalrymple Christopher Kent

(Last) (First) (Middle)

ALLEGHANY CORPORATION, 1411 BROADWAY, 34TH FLOOR

(Street)

NEW YORK, NY 10018

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 ALLEGHANY CORP /DE [Y]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 01/21/2018

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

___ Director ___ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)
 SVP, General Counsel

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	V	Amount				(A) or (D)
Common Stock	05/26/2017		G	V	23	D	\$ 0 ⁽¹⁾	4,402	D	
Common Stock	05/26/2017		G	V	14	D	\$ 0 ⁽¹⁾	4,388	D	
Common Stock	01/21/2018		M		759	A	\$ 0 ⁽²⁾	5,147	D	
Common Stock	01/21/2018		D		759	D	\$ 591.085 ⁽²⁾	4,388	D	

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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 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price or Value of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)
Restricted Stock Units	(3)	01/21/2018		M	759	(4) (4)	Common Stock	759 \$ O

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Dalrymple Christopher Kent ALLEGHANY CORPORATION 1411 BROADWAY, 34TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10018			SVP, General Counsel	

Signatures

Christopher K. Dalrymple 01/23/2018

**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) Gift of shares of the registrant's common stock to a third party for no consideration.
- (2) Settlement of 759 restricted stock units for \$448,633.52 in cash, of which \$169,061.44 represents withholding for tax obligations in connection with such settlement.

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- Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of of the registrant's common stock or a payment in cash in
- (3) respect of such restricted stock unit in an amount equal to the fair market value of one share of the registrant's common stock on the applicable vesting date.
 - (4) Each restricted stock unit vested on January 21, 2018.

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