ALLIANCE GAMING CORP

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Addre DES CHAMPS	*	ng Person *	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ALLIANCE GAMING CORP [AGI]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
6601 S. BERMUDA ROAD		D	(Month/Day/Year) 01/31/2006	Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) SR VP & CFO			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
LAS VEGAS, NV 89119			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State) (Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	ecurit	ties Acqu	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securiti or(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4	posed	of (D)	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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Employee Stock									
Options (right to buy)	01/31/2006		A	10,000	A	15.21	10,000	D	

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 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 or 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 15.21	01/31/2006		A	10,000	<u>(1)</u>	01/31/2016	Common Stock, \$.10 par value per share	10,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

DES CHAMPS STEVEN 6601 S. BERMUDA ROAD LAS VEGAS, NV 89119

SR VP & CFO

Signatures

Steven Des

Champs 03/07/2006

**Signature of Date 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) The options vest on January 31, 2009, subject to accelerated vesting on or before December 31, 2006, in certain circumstances at the discretion of the Issuer's Chief Executive Officer.

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