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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

Transactions Reported

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer Russell Daniel Lawrence Symbol ALLIED CAPITAL CORP [ALD] (Check all applicable) (First) 3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Last) (Middle) (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner Other (specify X _ Officer (give title 12/31/2004 below) below) 1919 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE, Managing Director NW, 3RD FLOOR (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting Filed(Month/Day/Year) (check applicable line)

WASHINGTON, DCÂ 20006

(State)

(Zip)

(City)

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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction Acquired (A) or Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Code Disposed of (D) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Owned at end Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 8) of Issuer's (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) (A) Fiscal Year or (Instr. 3 and 4) Amount (D) Price

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. Number	6. Date Exercisable and	7. Title and Amount of	8. Pri
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction	of	Expiration Date	Underlying Securities	Deriv
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	Derivative	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 3 and 4)	Secu
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Securities			(Insti

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	Derivative Security				Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)						
					(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Phantom Stock Units	\$ 24.62	10/01/2004	Â	J	111	Â	(1)	(2)	Common Stock	111	\$ 2
Phantom Stock Units	\$ 26.145	12/31/2004	Â	J	161	Â	(1)	(2)	Common Stock	161	\$ 26

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Othe			
Russell Daniel Lawrence 1919 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE, NW	Â	Â	Managing Director	Â			
3RD FLOOR WASHINGTON, DC 20006	11		Tranaging Director	11			

Signatures

By: s/Kelly A. Anderson attorney in fact For: Daniel L.

Russell

01/27/2005

**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) The phantom stock units were awarded under the Allied Capital Corporation Deferred Compensation Plan II and are fully vested.
- (2) Upon termination, phantom stock units will be distributed over a two year period or immediately upon a change in control.

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Remarks:

Pertains to phanton stock acquired pursuant to a dividend reinvestment plan. Â The acquisition of the Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space provided is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.

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