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FORM	4 UNITED S	FATES SE					GE C	OMMISSION	OMB OMB Number:	3235-0287	
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(Print or Type Re	esponses)										
			Symbol					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
		ALLIANCEBERNSTEIN HOLDING L.P. [AB]					(Check all applicable)				
(Last)	(First) (Mi	(M	3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director (Month/Day/Year) X Officer (give below)					title 10% Owner Other (specify below)			
	VENUE OF THE		/01/201	11				Chairman a	and CEO, SC	B LLC	
				nth/Day/Year) Applicable _X_Form f				Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by O	or Joint/Group Filing(Check e) I by One Reporting Person by More than One Reporting		
NEW YORK	, NY 10105							Person	ore than One R	eporting	
(City)	(State) (Z	ip)	Table	I - Non-De	rivative Se	ecuriti	ies Acqu	ired, Disposed of,	, or Beneficia	ally Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)		. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)			4. Securiti (A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4	sposed	l of (D)	Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
units rep.				Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)			
assignments of benefical owner. of lp interests (1)	12/01/2011			F	10,310	D	\$ 13.26	55,609 <u>(2)</u>	D		
Holding Units (1)								196,064 (<u>2)</u> (<u>3)</u>	Ι	by rabbi trust under employee incentive compensation	

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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)	4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	7. Titl Amou Under Secur (Instr.	int of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
FB	Director 10% Owner Officer		Officer	Other			
Gingrich James A C/O ALLIANCEBERNSTEIN L.P. 1345 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS NEW YORK, NY 10105			Chairman and CEO, SCB LLC				
Signatures							
/s/ Mona Bhalla, by pwr							

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**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).
- Units representing assignments of beneficial ownership of limited partnership interests in AllianceBernstein Holding L.P. ("Holding (1) Units").

On December 1, 2011, 27,813 Holding Units previously owned by Reporting Person through a rabbi trust under an incentive

(2) compensation award program were distributed to him. Of these Holding Units, 10,310 Holding Units were withheld for tax purposes and 17,503 Holding Units were delivered to him.

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(3) Total includes 1,409 Holding Units acquired through quarterly distribution reinvestment.

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