FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington,	D.C.	20549
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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  Owen Bethany M						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ALLETE INC [ ALE ]									ck all app Direc	nship of Reporting applicable) Director Officer (give title		Person(s) to Issuer  10% Owner Other (specify		
(Last) 30 WES	(Fir Γ SUPERIC	st) (M	Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/02/2021										below			below)	opcomy	
(Street) DULUT	H Mi		5802 Zip)		4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)										Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ne)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
	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 Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 5)				5. Amo Securit Benefic Owned Report	ies cially Following	Forn (D) o	n: Direct or Indirect nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
								Code	v	Amount	(A) (D)	or I	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(111501. 4)		
Common Stock					02/02/2021				Α		2,825	A	<b>A</b>	\$ <mark>0</mark>	12,037.31(1)			D		
Common Stock															5,694.57(2)			I	By RSOP Trust	
		Tal									osed of, o				Owne	d				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion or Exercise (Month/Day/Year)   Execution Date, if any (Month/				of Deri Secu Acqu (A) o Disp of (D	vative urities uired or osed )) r. 3, 4	6. Date   Expirati (Month/		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Ins 3 and 4)		D S (I	Price of erivative ecurity 1str. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	у	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)				
					Code V (A) (D)				Date Exercisa	able	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Shar	ber						

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Includes shares acquired in exempt transactions under the dividend reinvestment feature of ALLETE's stock purchase and dividend reinvestment plan and the dividend equivalent feature of restricted stock grants pursuant to ALLETE's executive long-term incentive compensation plan, based on plan information available as of January 31, 2021.
- 2. Includes shares acquired in exempt transactions pursuant to ALLETE's retirement savings and stock ownership plan (RSOP) and is based on RSOP plan information available as of January 31, 2021.

## Remarks:

Ingrid K. Johnson for Bethany M. Owen

02/04/2021

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- \* 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).

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