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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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	Reporting Person*			2 10	ouer	Nama													
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* SCHOBER MARK A					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ALLETE INC [ALE]									Check all a Dir	oplicable) ector			Owner	
					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/21/2013										,		below	(specify)	
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Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Includes shares acquired in exempt transactions under ALLETE's employee stock purchase plan and the dividend equivalent feature of restricted stock granted under ALLETE's executive long-term incentive compensation plan, both based on plan information available as of January 1, 2013.
- 2. Includes shares acquired in exempt transactions under ALLETE's retirement savings and stock ownership plan (RSOP), based on RSOP plan information available as of January 1, 2013.

Remarks:

<u>Ingrid K. Johnson for Mark A.</u> <u>Schober</u>

01/23/2013

** 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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