

Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

(e) On April 24, 2018, the Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors of AllianceBernstein Corporation, general partner of AllianceBernstein L.P. (“ABL”) and AllianceBernstein Holding L.P. (“AB Holding”) and, together with ABL, “AB”) approved an award of restricted AB Holding Units (NYSE: AB) to each of the following executive officers of AB:

James A. Gingrich, Chief Operating Officer;
Kate C. Burke, Head of Human Capital and Chief Talent Officer;
Laurence E. Cranch, General Counsel; and
John C. Weisenseel, Chief Financial Officer.

The terms and conditions relating to these awards are described in the attached forms of award agreement.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

99.01 J. Gingrich award agreement.

99.02 K. Burke, L. Cranch and J. Weisenseel form of award agreement.

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

ALLIANCEBERNSTEIN
HOLDING L.P.

Dated: April 30, 2018 By:

/s/ David M. Lesser
David M. Lesser
Corporate Secretary