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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

POST-EFFECTIVE AMENDMENT NO. 5

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FORM S-3

REGISTRATION STATEMENT UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933

ALLSTATE LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY (Exact Name of Registrant)

ILLINOIS
(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation or Organization)

36-2554642 (I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)

3100 SANDERS ROAD NORTHBROOK, ILLINOIS 60062 847/402-5000

(Address and Phone Number of Principal Executive Office)

MICHAEL J. VELOTTA
SENIOR VICE PRESIDENT, SECRETARY AND GENERAL COUNSEL
ALLSTATE LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY
3100 SANDERS ROAD, SUITE J5B
NORTHBROOK, ILLINOIS 60062
847/402-5000

(Name, Complete Address and Telephone Number of Agent for Service)

COPIES TO:

ALLEN REED, ESQUIRE
ALLSTATE LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY
3100 SANDERS ROAD
SUITE J5B
NORTHBROOK, IL 60062

Approximate date of commencement of proposed sale to the public: As soon as practicable after the effective date of this registration statement.

If any of the securities being registered on this Form are to be offered on a delayed or continuous basis pursuant to Rule 415 under the Securities Act of 1933, other than securities offered only in connection with dividend or interest reinvestment plans, check the following box: /X/

### Explanatory Note

Registrant is filing this post-effective amendment ("Amendment") to add a corrected Exhibit 24(b) to the registration statement. The Exhibit 24(b) replaces the Exhibit 24(b)filed in Post-Effective Amendment No. 4 to the registration statement on April 19, 2007 ("Post-Effective Amendment No. 4"). The prospectus describing the Contract filed in Post-Effective Amendment No. 4 is incorporated herein by reference. The Amendment is not intended to amend or delete any part of the registration statement, except as specifically noted herein.

# PART II INFORMATION NOT REQUIRED IN THE PROSPECTUS

Part II is hereby amended to replace the Exhibit 24(b) filed in Post-Effective Amendment No. 4 with the following:

ITEM 16. EXHIBITS.

(24) (b) Powers of Attorney for Michael B. Boyle, James W. Hohmann, George E. Ruebenson and Thomas J. Wilson, II filed herewith.

### **SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, Registrant certifies that it has reasonable grounds to believe that it meets all of the requirements for filing on Form S-3 and has duly caused this registration statement to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized, in the Township of Northfield, State of Illinois, on the 25th day of April, 2007.

ALLSTATE LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY (REGISTRANT)

By: /s/MICHAEL J. VELOTTA

Michael J. Velotta Senior Vice President, Secretary and General Counsel

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, this registration statement has been signed by the following persons in the capacities indicated and on the 25th day of April, 2007.

*/DAVID A. BIRD	Director and Senior Vice President
David A. Bird	
*/MICHAEL B. BOYLE	Director and Vice President
Michael B. Bolye	
*/DANNY L. HALE	Director
Danny L. Hale	
*/JAMES E. HOHMANN	Director, President and Chief Executive Officer (Principal Executive Officer)
James E. Hohmann	(Fillicipal Executive Officer)
*/JOHN C. LOUNDS	Director and Senior Vice President
John C. Lounds	
*/SAMUEL H. PILCH	Controller and Group Vice President (Principal Accounting Officer)
Samuel H. Pilch	
*/JOHN C. PINTOZZI	Director, Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer (Principal Financial Officer)
John C. Pintozzi	
*/GEORGE E. RUEBENSON	Director
George E. Ruebenson	
*/ERIC A. SIMONSON	Director, Senior Vice President and Chief Investment Officer
Eric A. Simonson	
*KEVIN R. SLAWIN	Director and Senior Vice President
Kevin R. Slawin	
/s/MICHAEL J. VELOTTA	Director, Senior Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary
Michael J. Velotta	
*/DOUGLAS B. WELCH	Director and Senior Vice President
Develop D. Malah	

Director and Chairman of the Board

Douglas B. Welch

\*/THOMAS J. WILSON II

\*/ By Michael J. Velotta, pursuant to Powers of Attorney previously filed.

### EXHIBIT LIST

Exhibit No. Description

(24)(b) Powers of Attorney for Michael B. Boyle, James E. Hohmann, George E. Ruebenson and Thomas J. Wilson II

#### POWER OF ATTORNEY

#### WITH RESPECT TO

# ALLSTATE LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY (REGISTRANT)

The undersigned director of Allstate Life Insurance Company constitutes and appoints Michael J. Velotta and John C. Pintozzi, and each of them (with full power to each of them to act alone) as his true and lawful attorney-in-fact and agent, in any and all capacities, to sign the following registration statements: File Nos. 333-123847, 333-105331, 333-132994, 333-102319, 333-121811 and 333-100068 of Allstate Life Insurance Company, and any amendments thereto, and to file the same, with exhibits and other documents in connection therewith, with the Securities and Exchange Commission or any other regulatory authority as may be necessary or desirable. I hereby ratify and confirm each and every act that said attorney-in-fact and agent may lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue hereof. My subsequent disability or incapacity shall not affect this Power of Attorney.

April 25, 2007

/s/ JAMES E. HOHMANN

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James E. Hohmann

Director, President and Chief Executive Officer

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April 25, 2007

/s/ THOMAS J. WILSON

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Thomas J. Wilson Director and Chairman of the Board

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April 25, 2007

/s/ MICHAEL B. BOYLE
-----Michael B. Boyle
Director and Vice President

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April 25, 2007

/s/ GEORGE E. RUEBENSON

George E. Ruebenson Director