## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

## FORM 13F

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Report for the Calendar Year or Quarter Ended: December 31, 2008

Check here if Amendment [ ]; Amendment Number: \_\_\_\_ This Amendment (Check only one.):[ ] is a restatement. [ ] adds new holdings entries.

Institutional Investment Manager Filing this Report:

Name: AllianceBernstein L.P. (formerly known as Alliance Capital Management L.P.) Address: 1345 Avenue of the Americas New York, NY 10104

13F File Number: 28-10562

The institutional investment manager filing this report and the person by whom it is signed hereby represent that the person signing the report is authorized to submit it, that all information contained herein is true, correct and complete, and that it is understood that all required items, statements, schedules, lists, and tables, are considered integral parts of this form.

Person Signing this Report on Behalf of Reporting Manager:

Name: Laurence H. Bertan Title: Senior Vice President & Assistant Secretary Phone: (212) 969-1000

Signature, Place, and Date of Signing:

/s/ Laurence H. Bertan	New York, NY	February 13, 2009
[Signature]	[City, State]	[Date]

For information relating to holdings of 13F securities for periods ending prior to September 30, 2003 by Alliance Capital Management L.P., please refer to Forms 13F-HR filed by AXA Financial, Inc. for those periods.

(Please direct all questions to Laurence H. Bertan, (212) 969-1309)

Report Type (Check only one.):

- [ ] 13F HOLDINGS REPORT. (Check here if all holdings of this reporting manager are reported in this report.)
- [X] 13F NOTICE. (Check here if no holdings reported are in this report, and all holdings are reported by other reporting manager(s).)
- [ ] 13F COMBINATION REPORT. (Check here if a portion of the holdings for this reporting manager are reported in this report and a portion are reported by other reporting manager(s).)

List of Other Managers Reporting for this Manager: [If there are no entries in this list, omit this section.]

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Number of Other Included Managers:	None
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