

Fruehwirth John Martin  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *		2. Date of Event Requiring Statement	3. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	
Â Fruehwirth John Martin		(Month/Day/Year)	ALLIED CAPITAL CORP [ALD]	
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	04/16/2007	
1919 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE, NW, Â 3RD FLOOR			4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer	5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)
(Street)			(Check all applicable)	
WASHINGTON, Â DC Â 20006			<input type="checkbox"/> Director	<input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer	<input type="checkbox"/> Other
			(give title below)	(specify below)
			Managing Director	
			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)	
			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person	
			<input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person	

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common Stock	20,435	I	by joint

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly. SEC 1473 (7-02)

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4) Title	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Amount or Number of Shares			or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	Â (1)	08/03/2015	Common Stock	3,635	\$ 27.51	D	Â
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	Â (2)	03/11/2014	Common Stock	3,450	\$ 28.98	D	Â
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	Â (3)	05/13/2013	Common Stock	136,125	\$ 21.62	D	Â
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	Â (1)	08/03/2015	Common Stock	196,365	\$ 27.51	D	Â
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	Â (2)	03/11/2014	Common Stock	96,550	\$ 28.98	D	Â
Phantom Stock Units	Â (4)	Â (5)	Common Stock	17,884	\$ (6)	D	Â

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Fruehwirth John Martin 1919 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE, NW 3RD FLOOR WASHINGTON, DC 20006	Â	Â	Â Managing Director	Â

## Signatures

s/John M Fruehwirth  
Date: 04/17/2007  
\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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).
- (1) The August 3, 2005 option grant vests in three installments on 6/30/06, 6/30/07 and 6/30/08.
- (2) The grant issued on March 11, 2004, vests in four installments on 6/30/04, 6/30/05, 6/30/06 and 6/30/07
- (3) The grant issued on May 13, 2003, becomes exercisable in three annual installments commencing one year from grant date.
- (4) The phantom stock units were awarded under the Allied Capital Corporation Deferred Compensation Plan II and are fully vested.
- (5) Upon termination, phantom stock units will be distributed over a two year period or immediately upon a change in control.
- (6) Phantom Stock Units acquired have a 1 for 1 conversion.

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