

SCHWAB CHARLES CORP  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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 Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section  
 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Â Allen Jay L (Last) (First) (Middle)	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 10/18/2007	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SCHWAB CHARLES CORP [SCHW]	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)	5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)
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C/O THE CHARLES SCHWAB CORPORATION,Â 120 KEARNY STREET  
 (Street)

SAN FRANCISCO,Â CAÂ 94108  
 (City) (State) (Zip)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer  Other  
 (give title below) (specify below)  
 EVP - Human Resources

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 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	15,931 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	Â

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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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)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Nonqualified Stock Option (Right to buy)	04/23/2004	04/23/2013	Common Stock	2,622 <sup>(2)</sup>	\$ 8.9332	D	Â
Incentive Stock Option (Right to buy)	04/23/2004	04/23/2013	Common Stock	2,622 <sup>(2)</sup>	\$ 8.9332	D	Â
Nonqualified Stock Option (Right to buy)	12/15/2004	09/30/2011	Common Stock	52,636 <sup>(3)</sup>	\$ 8.7616	D	Â
Nonqualified Stock Option (Right to buy)	10/30/2007	10/30/2013	Common Stock	21,262 <sup>(4)</sup>	\$ 18.2915	D	Â

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Allen Jay L C/O THE CHARLES SCHWAB CORPORATION 120 KEARNY STREET SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94108	Â	Â	Â EVP - Human Resources	Â

## Signatures

Jay L. Allen                      10/25/2007  
 \_\_Signature of                      Date  
 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) Includes 13,431 shares of restricted stock, 3,577 shares which will vest on December 15, 2007 and on December 15, 2008, 1,569 shares which will vest on October 30, 2007, 2008 and 2009, and 1,570 shares which will vest on October 30, 2010.
- (2) This option was granted on April 23, 2003 under the company's 2001 Stock Incentive Plan and was fully vested on April 23, 2007.
- (3) This option was granted on September 30, 2004 under the company's 2004 Stock Incentive Plan and will be fully vested on December 15, 2007.
- (4) This option was granted on October 30, 2006 under the company's 2004 Stock Incentive Plan and vests in four equal annual installments beginning on the first anniversary of the grant date.

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