iSHARES INC Form SC 13G February 14, 2014

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

SCHEDULE 13G Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (Amendment No. n/a)*

ISHARES MSCI EAFE MINIMUM VOLATILITY ETF (Name of Issuer)

COMMON STOCK (Title of Class of Securities)

46429B689 (CUSIP Number)

12/31/2013 (Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement)

Check the appropriate box to designate the rule pursuant to which this Schedule is filed:

xRule 13d-1(b)

oRule 13d-1(c)

oRule 13d-1(d)

* The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter the disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

The information required in the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes).

CUSIP No: 46429B689

1 NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS

The Allstate Corporation

I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NOS. OF ABOVE PERSONS (ENTITIES ONLY) 36-3871531

- 2 CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A 2 MEMBER OF A GROUP (SEE INSTRUCTIONS) (a) o (b) o
- 3 SEC USE ONLY
- 4 CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION Delaware
- NUMBER OF 5 SOLE VOTING POWER

0

SHARES

- BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY 6 SHARED VOTING POWER EACH Allstate Insurance Company - 1,285,474 REPORTING
- PERSON WITH: 7 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
 - 0
 - 8 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER Allstate Insurance Company - 1,285,474
- 9 AGGREGATE AMOUNT 9 BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON 1,285,474
- 10 CHECK IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT 10 IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES (SEE INSTRUCTIONS) o
- 11 PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9) 8.4%
- 12 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON (SEE INSTRUCTIONS) IC

Item 1.

- (a) Name of Issuer ISHARES MSCI EAFE MINIMUM VOLATILITY ETF
- (b) Address of Issuer's Principal Executive Offices 400 Howard Street San Francisco, CA 94105

Item 2.

(a) Name of Person Filing The Allstate Corporation

Address of Principal (b)Business Office or, if none, Residence 2775 Sanders Road Northbrook, IL 60062

- (c) Citizenship Delaware
- (d)Title of Class of Securities Common Stock
- (e) CUSIP Number 46429B689
- Item 3. If this statement is filed pursuant to \$240.13d-1(b) or 240.13d-2(b) or (c), check whether the person filing is a:
- (a) oBroker or dealer registered under section 15 of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78o).
- (b)oBank as defined in section 3(a)(6) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c).
- (c) x Insurance company as defined in section 3(a)(19) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c).
- (d)oInvestment company registered under section 8 of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C 80a-8).
- (e) oAn investment adviser in accordance with §240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(E);
- (f) o An employee benefit plan or endowment fund in accordance with §240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(F);
- (g) o A parent holding company or control person in accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(G);
- (h)oA savings associations as defined in Section 3(b) of the Federal Deposit Insurance Act (12 U.S.C. 1813);
- (i) o A church plan that is excluded from the definition of an investment company under section 3(c)(14) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C. 80a-3);

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(j) oA non-U.S. institution in accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(J).

(k) $o^{A \text{ group, in accordance with } 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(K)}$. If filing as a non-U.S. institution in accordance with 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(J), please specify the type of institution:

Item 4. Ownership.

Provide the following information regarding the aggregate number and percentage of the class of securities of the issuer identified in Item 1.

- (a) Amount beneficially owned: 1,285,474
- (b)Percent of class: 8.4%
- (c) Number of shares as to which the person has:
 - (i) Sole power to vote or to direct the vote: 0
 - (ii) Shared power to vote or to direct the vote: 1,285,474
 - (iii)Sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition of: 0
 - (iv) Shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition of: 1,285,474

Item 5. Ownership of Five Percent or Less of a Class

If this statement is being filed to report the fact that as of the date hereof the reporting person has ceased to be the beneficial owner of more than five percent of the class of securities, check the following .

Item 6. Ownership of More than Five Percent on Behalf of Another Person. Not Applicable

Allstate Insurance Company, an indirect wholly-owned subsidiary of The Allstate Corporation, is the owner of 1,285,474 shares or 8.4% of the Common Stock outstanding of the Company.

Item 8. Identification and Classification of Members of the Group Not Applicable

Item 9. Notice of Dissolution of Group Not Applicable

Item 10. Certification

By signing below I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were acquired and are held in the ordinary course of business and were not acquired and are not held for the purpose of or with the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of the securities and were not acquired and are not held in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having that purpose or effect.

Item 7. Identification and Classification of the Subsidiary Which Acquired the Security Being Reported on By the Parent Holding Company

SIGNATURE

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Date: February 13, 2014 By:/s/ Paul Schutt Name: Paul Schutt Title: Vice President Investment Finance

Attention: Intentional misstatements or omissions of fact constitute Federal criminal violations (See 18 U.S.C. 1001)