CAVANAGH RICHARD

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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

CAVANAGH RICHARD

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

BLACKROCK CREDIT

ALLOCATION INCOME TRUST

IV [BTZ]

(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 05/31/2012

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify

below)

55 EAST 52ND STREET

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

NEW YORK, NY 10055

(Zip) (City) (State) 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Reported Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative

Security

(Instr. 3)

Conversion

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

Transactionof

(A)

or

5. Number 6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date**

7. Title and Amount of 8. l Underlying Securities

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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr.	8)	Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		(Month/Day/Year)		(Instr. 3 and 4)		Sec (In:
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Performance Rights (1)	(2)	05/31/2012		J(3)			2.74	<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	2.74	\$

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
reporting owner runner runners	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
CAVANAGH RICHARD 55 EAST 52ND STREET NEW YORK, NY 10055	X							

Signatures

/s/ Noah Gellner as Attorney-in-Fact 06/04/2012

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(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 Performance Rights were accrued under the BlackRock Deferred Compensation Plan.
- (2) One Performance Right is convertible into the cash value of one share of BlackRock Credit Allocation Income Trust IV.
- (3) These Performance Rights were disposed of in connection with the liquidation of the issuers of these Performance Rights.
- (4) The Performance Rights are to be settled 100% in cash at the deferral period chosen by the reporting person.

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