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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting

Person *

KORNSTEIN DON R

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

02/07/2006

2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

BALLY TOTAL FITNESS HOLDING CORP [BFT]

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

5. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

ALPINE ADVISORS LLC, 825 LAKESHORE BLVD.

(Street)

10% Owner _X_ Director Officer Other (give title below) (specify below)

(Check all applicable)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting

Person

Form filed by More than One

Reporting Person

INCLINE VILLAGE, NVÂ 89451

(City)

(State)

(Zip)

1. Title of Security

(Instr. 4)

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

(Instr. 4)

3. Ownership Form:

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership

(Instr. 5) Direct (D)

or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)

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**

4. 5. Conversion Ownership or Exercise Form of

6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)

(Instr. 4)

Date **Expiration Title** Exercisable Date

Amount or Number of

Derivative Price of Derivative Security: Security Direct (D)

Shares

or Indirect
(I)
(Instr. 5)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

KORNSTEIN DON R ALPINE ADVISORS LLC 825 LAKESHORE BLVD. INCLINE VILLAGE, NVÂ 89451

X Â Â Â

Signatures

/s/ Don R. Kornstein By Marc D. Bassewitz, Agent

02/15/2006

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

No securities are beneficially owned

- * 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).

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Remarks:

The filer does not beneficially own any securities.

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