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OMB APPROVAL FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION OMB 3235-0287 Washington, D.C. 20549 Number: Check this box January 31, Expires: if no longer 2005 STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF subject to Estimated average **SECURITIES** Section 16. burden hours per Form 4 or response... 0.5 Form 5 Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction 1(b). (Print or Type Responses) 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading **DOLAN-SWEENEY DEBORAH A** Issuer Symbol AMC Networks Inc. [AMCX] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner Officer (give title __X_ Other (specify C/O DOLAN FAMILY 06/30/2011 below) below) OFFICE, 340 CROSSWAYS PARK Member of 13(d) Group **DRIVE** (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person _X_ Form filed by More than One Reporting WOODBURY, NY 11797 Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Code Disposed of (D) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Ownership (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Indirect (I) Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Price Code V Amount (D) **AMC** Networks 5,643 J(1)Inc. Class A 06/30/2011 Α 5,643 (1) $D^{(1)}$ (1) Common Stock **AMC** Networks By Spouse Inc. Class A 28,474 (2) $I^{(2)}$ (2)Common

 $I^{(3)}$

5,225 (3)

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AMC
Networks
Inc. Class A
Common

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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)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. etionNumber of (a) Derivative Securitie Acquirece (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	s I	ate	Amou Under Secur	tle and bunt of erlying rities r. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
			Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

DOLAN-SWEENEY DEBORAH A C/O DOLAN FAMILY OFFICE 340 CROSSWAYS PARK DRIVE WOODBURY, NY 11797

Member of 13(d) Group

Sweeney Brian

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1111 STEWART AVENUE X

BETHPAGE, NY 11714

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By: /s/ Brian G. Sweeney, Attorney-in-fact for Deborah A.
Dolan-Sweeney

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

/s/ Brian G. Sweeney 07/05/2011

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**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).
 - Class A Common Stock received by Ms. Dolan-Sweeney in connection with the legal and structural separation of AMC Networks Inc. ("AMC") from Cablevision Systems Corporation ("Cablevision") (the "Spin-off") in an exempt transaction under Rule 16a-9 or 16b-6.
- (1) Mr. Sweeney disclaims beneficial ownership of all shares of AMC beneficially owned or deemed to be beneficially owned by his spouse and this report shall not be deemed to be an admission that Mr. Sweeney is, for the purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose, the beneficial owner of such securities.
 - Represents Class A Common Stock, received by Mr. Sweeney in connection with the Spin-off in an exempt transaction under Rule 16a-9. Includes shares of restricted stock held by Mr. Sweeney. Reflects transfer of shares previously owned directly by Cablevision and its
- (2) subsidiaries exempt under Rule 16a-13. Ms. Dolan-Sweeney disclaims beneficial ownership of all shares of AMC beneficially owned or deemed to be beneficially owned by her spouse and this report shall not be deemed to be an admission that Ms. Dolan-Sweeney is, for the purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose, the beneficial owner of such securities.
 - Represents shares of Class A Common Stock received by trusts for the benefit of Reporting Persons' children in connection with the Spin-off in an exempt transaction under Rule 16a-9. Reflects transfer of shares previously owned directly by Cablevision and its
- (3) subsidiaries exempt under Rule 16a-13. The Reporting Persons disclaim beneficial ownership of all shares of AMC beneficially owned or deemed to be beneficially owned by trusts for their children and this report shall not be deemed to be an admission that the Reporting Persons are, for the purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose, the beneficial owners of such securities.

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