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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 *

Hollinger Mark G

(Last) (First) (Middle)

ONE DISCOVERY PLACE

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

Discovery Communications, Inc. [DISCA]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

06/09/2009

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

Chief Operating Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

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

Person

SILVER SPRING, MD 20910

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative S	ecurit	ies Acqui	red, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) Transaction Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)				5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
		(A) or Code V Amount (D)	Price						
Series A Common Stock	06/09/2009		M	69,749	` ′		89,769	D	
Series A Common Stock	06/09/2009		M	74,514	A	\$ 13.79	164,283	D	
Series A Common Stock	06/09/2009		D	144,263	D	\$ 23.59	20,020	D	

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)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amoun Underlying Securiti (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amor or Numl of Sh
Stock Appreciation Right (1)	\$ 14.53	06/09/2009		M		69,749	03/15/2009	03/15/2010	Series A Common Stock	69,7
Stock Appreciation Right (1)	\$ 13.79	06/09/2009		M		74,514	03/15/2009	03/15/2010	Series A Common Stock	74,5

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Hollinger Mark G

ONE DISCOVERY PLACE Chief Operating Officer

SILVER SPRING, MD 20910

Signatures

/s/ Joseph A. LaSala, Jr., by power of attorney 06/11/2009

**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 Stock Appreciation Right may only be settled in cash.

Remarks:

The trading symbols for the Issuer's Series A, Series B and Series C common stock are, respectively, DISCA, DISCB and DIS Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure.

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