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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Carroll Edward A</u> (Last) (First) (Middle) 11 PENN PLAZA (Street) NEW YORK NY 10001 (City) (State) (Zip) | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>AMC Networks Inc. [AMCX]</u> | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) <u>Chief Operating Officer</u> |
| | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>03/04/2019</u> | |
| 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | |

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | | 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) |
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| | | | Code | V | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | | | |
| AMC Networks Inc. Class A Common Stock | 03/04/2019 | | A | | 25,220 | A | \$0 ⁽¹⁾ | 68,088 | D | |
| AMC Networks Inc. Class A Common Stock | 03/04/2019 | | F ⁽²⁾ | | 9,945 | D | \$62.38 | 58,143 | D | |
| AMC Networks Inc. Class A Common Stock | 03/04/2019 | | A | | 1,485 | A | \$0 ⁽³⁾ | 59,628 | D | |
| AMC Networks Inc. Class A Common Stock | 03/04/2019 | | F ⁽⁴⁾ | | 727 | D | \$62.38 | 58,901 | D | |
| AMC Networks Inc. Class A Common Stock | 03/04/2019 | | M | | 8,250 | A | \$0 ⁽⁵⁾ | 67,151 | D | |
| AMC Networks Inc. Class A Common Stock | 03/04/2019 | | F ⁽⁶⁾ | | 4,040 | D | \$62.38 | 63,111 | D | |
| AMC Networks Inc. Class A Common Stock | 03/04/2019 | | M | | 486 | A | \$0 ⁽⁷⁾ | 63,597 | D | |
| AMC Networks Inc. Class A Common Stock | 03/04/2019 | | F ⁽⁸⁾ | | 237 | D | \$62.38 | 63,360 | D | |
| AMC Networks Inc. Class A Common Stock | | | | | | | | 1,337 | I | By 401(k) |

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | | 5. Number 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 Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) | 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
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| | | | | Code | V | | (A) | (D) | | | | | |
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| | | | | Code | V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | | | | | | Title |
| Restricted Stock Units | (5) | 03/04/2019 | | M | | | 8,250 | (5) | 03/04/2019 | AMC Networks Inc. Class A Common Stock | 8,250 | (5) | 0 | D | |
| Restricted Stock Units | (7) | 03/04/2019 | | M | | | 486 | (7) | 03/04/2019 | AMC Networks Inc. Class A Common Stock | 486 | (7) | 0 | D | |

Explanation of Responses:

- Each share of Class A common stock was issued on March 4, 2019 upon the vesting of performance restricted stock units ("PRsUs"). The PRsUs were initially granted on March 4, 2016 under the AMC Networks Inc. 2011 Amended and Restated Employee Stock Plan, and the number of shares of Class A common stock issued on March 4, 2019 was determined based on the achievement of performance criteria established at the time of grant.
- Represents PRsUs of AMC Networks Inc. withheld to satisfy tax withholding obligations in connection with the vesting of PRsUs described in footnote 1 above, exempt under Rule 16b-3.
- Each share of Class A common stock was issued on March 4, 2019 upon the vesting of performance restricted stock units ("PRsUs"). The PRsUs were initially granted on October 13, 2016 under the AMC Networks Inc. 2011 Amended and Restated Employee Stock Plan, and the number of shares of Class A common stock issued on March 4, 2019 was determined based on the achievement of performance criteria established at the time of grant.
- Represents PRsUs of AMC Networks Inc. withheld to satisfy tax withholding obligations in connection with the vesting of PRsUs described in footnote 3 above, exempt under Rule 16b-3.
- Each restricted stock unit ("RSU") was granted under the AMC Networks Inc. 2011 Amended and Restated Employee Stock Plan and represents a right to receive one share of Class A Common Stock or the cash equivalent thereof. One-third of the RSUs vested and were settled on March 5, 2018 and one-third of the RSUs vested and were settled on March 6, 2017. The remaining one-third of the "RSUs" vested and were settled on March 4, 2019.
- Represents RSUs of AMC Networks Inc. withheld to satisfy tax withholding obligations in connection with the vesting of RSUs described in footnote 5 above, exempt under Rule 16b-3.
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- Represents RSUs of AMC Networks Inc. withheld to satisfy tax withholding obligations in connection with the vesting of RSUs described in footnote 7 above, exempt under Rule 16b-3.

/s/ Anne G. Kelly, Attorney-in- 03/06/2019
fact for Edward A. Carroll

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

* 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).

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