

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

Mail Stop 4628

October 26, 2017

Via E-mail
Sean S. Sullivan
Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer
AMC Networks, Inc.
11 Penn Plaza
New York, NY 10001

Re: AMC Networks, Inc.

10-K for Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2016

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Dear Mr. Sullivan:

We refer you to our comment letter dated September 29, 2017, regarding business contacts with Sudan and Syria. We have completed our review of this subject matter. We remind you that the company and its management are responsible for the accuracy and adequacy of their disclosures, notwithstanding any review, comments, action or absence of action by the staff.

Sincerely,

/s/ Cecilia Blye

Cecilia Blye, Chief Office of Global Security Risk

cc: Larry Spirgel
Assistant Director
Division of Corporation Finance

Chris Wymbs
Executive Vice President and Chief Accounting Officer
AMC Networks, Inc.