FORM 4

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#### **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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## Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person\* (Check all applicable) AMC Networks Inc. [ AMCX ] CHARLES F. DOLAN 2009 FAMILY Director TRUST FBO JAMES L. DOLAN Officer (give title Other (specify X below) below) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Member of 13(d) Group (Last) (First) (Middle) 11/18/2011 C/O KNICKERBOCKER GROUP LLC PO BOX 420 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable (Street) Form filed by One Reporting Person 11771 **OYSTER BAY** NY Form filed by More than One Reporting (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) 6. Ownership 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction 2A. Deemed 5. Amount of 7. Nature of ..ansactior Code (Instr. 8) Execution Date Transaction Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Month/Day/Year) if any (Month/Day/Year) Beneficially Owned Following (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) **Beneficial** Ownership Reported (Instr. 4) (A) or (D) Transaction(s) Code Price Amount (Instr. 3 and 4) Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) 1. Title of Derivative 8. Price of Derivative 3. Transaction 3A. Deemed 5. Number of 6. Date Exercisable and 9. Number of 10. Ownership 2. Conversion **Execution Date.** Transaction Derivative **Expiration Date** of Securities derivative of Indirect Security Security (Instr. 3) if any (Month/Day/Year) Code (Instr. 8) Underlying Derivative Security or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) Securities (Month/Day/Year) Securities Form: Beneficial Direct (D) Acquired (A) (Instr. 5) Beneficially Price of Ownership Derivative or Disposed (Instr. 3 and 4) Owned or Indirect (Instr. 4) of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Following (I) (Instr. 4) Reported Transaction(s) Amount (Instr. 4) Date Expiration Number Exercisable of Shares Code (A) (D) Title AMC AMC Networks Inc. Networks Inc. Class 11/18/2011 J(8) (1)  $D^{(2)}$ 43,537 43.537 \$37,36 543,462 \$0 Class A Common Commor Stock Stock AMC AMC Networks Networks Inc. Inc. Class **D**(3) **I**(8) \$0 11/18/2011 43,537 (1) (1) 43,537 \$37.36 577,523 Class A Common Commor Stock Stock AMC AMC Networks Networks Inc. Class D<sup>(4)</sup> 11/18/2011 J(8) 43,537 (1) (1) 43,537 \$37.36 193,802 Class A Common Commor Stock Stock AMC AMC Networks Networks Inc. Class Inc. J(8) (1) (1)  $D^{(5)}$ \$0 11/18/2011 43,537 43,537 \$37.36 193,802 Class A Common Common Stock Stock AMC AMC Networks Networks Inc. Class A Inc. Class 11/18/2011 J<sup>(8)</sup> (1) (1) D<sup>(6)</sup> \$0 43,537 43,537 \$37.36 193,802 Common Common Stock Stock AMC **AMC** Networks Networks Inc. Class Inc. \$<mark>0</mark> 11/18/2011 **T**(8) 43,537 (1) (1) 43,537 \$37.36 193,802  $D^{(7)}$ Class A Commor Common Stock Stock AMC AMC Networks Networks Inc. Class J<sup>(9)</sup> Inc. **D**<sup>(2)</sup> \$0 11/18/2011 115,547 (1) (1) 115,547 \$37.36 659,009 Class A Stock Stock

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				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)		
AMC Networks Inc. Class B Common Stock	\$0	11/18/2011		J <sup>(9)</sup>			115,547	(1)	(1)	AMC Networks Inc. Class A Common Stock	115,547	\$37.36	693,070	D <sup>(3)</sup>	
AMC Networks Inc. Class B Common Stock	\$0	11/18/2011		J <sup>(9)</sup>			115,547	(1)	(1)	AMC Networks Inc. Class A Common Stock	115,547	\$37.36	309,349	D <sup>(4)</sup>	
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1. Name and Address of Reporting  $\mathsf{Person}^{\star}$ 

# <u>CHARLES F. DOLAN 2009 FAMILY TRUST FBO JAMES L. DOLAN</u>

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O KNICKERBOCKER GROUP LLC PO BOX 420

(Street)

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(City) (State) (Zip)

1. Name and Address of Reporting  $\mathsf{Person}^{\star}$ 

# <u>CHARLES F. DOLAN 2009 FAMILY TRUST FBO THOMAS C. DOLAN</u>

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(City) (State) (Zip)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person\*

### <u>CFD 2010 GRANDCHILDREN TRUST FBO</u> <u>DESCENDANTS OF KATHLEEN M. DOLAN</u>

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  CFD 2010 GRANDCHILDREN TRUST FBO  DESCENDANTS OF DEBORAH A, DOLAN- SWEENEY							
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  CFD 2010 GRANDCHILDREN TRUST FBO  DESCENDANTS OF MARIANNE E. DOLAN  WEBER							
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  CFD 2010 GRANDCHILDREN TRUST FBO  DESCENDANTS OF PATRICK F. DOLAN							
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#### Explanation of Responses:

- 1. AMC Networks Inc. Class B Common Stock (the "Class B Common Stock") of the Issuer is convertible at the option of the holder on a share for share basis into AMC Networks Inc. Class A Common Stock (the "Class A Common Stock") of the Issuer.
- 2. These securities are owned solely by the Charles F. Dolan 2009 Family Trust FBO James L. Dolan, which is a member of a "group" with the other reporting persons for purposes of Section 13(d) of the Exchange Act. Each of the other reporting persons disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities and this report shall not be deemed to be an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of such securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
- 3. These securities are owned solely by the Charles F. Dolan 2009 Family Trust FBO Thomas C. Dolan, which is a member of a "group" with the other reporting persons for purposes of Section 13(d) of the Exchange Act. Each of the other reporting persons disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities and this report shall not be deemed to be an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of such securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
- 4. These securities are owned solely by the CFD 2010 Grandchildren Trust FBO Descendants of Kathleen M. Dolan, which is a member of a "group" with the other reporting persons for purposes of Section 13(d) of the Exchange Act. Each of the other reporting persons disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities and this report shall not be deemed to be an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of such securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
- 5. These securities are owned solely by the CFD 2010 Grandchildren Trust FBO Descendants of Deborah A. Dolan-Sweeney, which is a member of a "group" with the other reporting persons for purposes of Section 13(d) of the Exchange Act. Each of the other reporting persons disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities and this report shall not be deemed to be an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of such securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
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- 7. These securities are owned solely by the CFD 2010 Grandchildren Trust FBO Descendants of Patrick F. Dolan, which is a member of a "group" with the other reporting persons for purposes of Section 13(d) of the Exchange Act. Each of the other reporting persons disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities and this report shall not be deemed to be an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of such securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
- $8.\ Payment\ of\ \$1,626,542.32\ of\ interest\ and\ principal\ on\ promissory\ notes\ held\ by\ such\ Reporting\ Person\ with\ shares\ of\ Class\ B\ Stock.$
- $9.\ Payment\ of\ \$4,316,835.92\ of\ interest\ and\ principal\ on\ promissory\ notes\ held\ by\ such\ Reporting\ Person\ with\ shares\ of\ Class\ B\ Stock.$

David M. Dolan, as Trustee of
the CHARLES F. DOLAN
2009 FAMILY TRUST FBO
JAMES L. DOLAN By: /s/
Brian G. Sweeney, Attorney-inFact
David M. Dolan, as Trustee of
the CHARLES F. DOLAN
2009 FAMILY TRUST FBO
THOMAS C. DOLAN By: /s/
Brian G. Sweeney, Attorney-inFact
David M. Dolan, as Trustee of
the CFD 2010 Grandchildren

Trust FBO Descendants of Kathleen M. Dolan By: /s/ Brian G. Sweeney, Attorney-in-

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\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

11/22/2011

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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