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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

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>DOLAN CHARLES F</u> _____ (Last) (First) (Middle) <u>C/O DOLAN FAMILY OFFICE</u> <u>340 CROSSWAYS PARK DRIVE</u> _____ (Street) <u>WOODBURY NY 11797</u> _____ (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) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other (specify below) <u>Executive Chairman / Member of 13(d) Group</u>		
			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>08/14/2012</u>					
			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
AMC Networks Inc. Class A Common Stock	08/14/2012		c ⁽¹⁾		1,750,000	A	\$0	1,826,868 ⁽⁵⁾	D ⁽⁴⁾⁽⁶⁾	
AMC Networks Inc. Class A Common Stock	08/14/2012		s ⁽²⁾		1,750,000	D	\$41.38	76,868 ⁽⁵⁾	D ⁽⁴⁾⁽⁶⁾	
AMC Networks Inc. Class A Common Stock								1,726	I	By CFD 2009 Revocable Trust ⁽³⁾⁽⁴⁾

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)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
AMC Networks Inc. Class B Common Stock	\$0	08/14/2012		c ⁽¹⁾			1,750,000	(7)	(7)	AMC Networks Inc. Class A Common Stock	1,750,000	\$0	229,019	I	By CFD 2009 Revocable Trust ⁽³⁾⁽⁴⁾
AMC Networks Inc. Class B Common Stock	\$0							(7)	(7)	AMC Networks Inc. Class A Common Stock	753,619		753,619	I	By CFD 2011 GRAT #1A ⁽⁴⁾⁽⁸⁾
AMC Networks Inc. Class B Common Stock	\$0							(7)	(7)	AMC Networks Inc. Class A Common Stock	465,537		465,537	I	By HAD 2011 GRAT #1A ⁽⁹⁾⁽¹¹⁾
AMC Networks Inc. Class B Common Stock	\$0							(7)	(7)	AMC Networks Inc. Class A Common Stock	791,180		791,180	I	By HAD 2009 Revocable Trust ⁽¹⁰⁾⁽¹¹⁾

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*

DOLAN HELEN A

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O DOLAN FAMILY OFFICE
340 CROSSWAYS PARK DRIVE

(Street)
WOODBURY NY 11797

(City) (State) (Zip)

Explanation of Responses:

1. Exempt conversion of Class B Common Stock for shares of Class A Common Stock. Reflects change in form of beneficial ownership exempt pursuant to Rule 16a-13.
2. Sale of Class A Common Stock in block sale through a broker.
3. Charles F. Dolan is the sole trustee and beneficiary of the Charles F. Dolan 2009 Revocable Trust.
4. Helen A. Dolan disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities and this report shall not be deemed to be an admission that she is the beneficial owner of such securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
5. Includes restricted shares.
6. Shares held directly by Charles F. Dolan.
7. 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.
8. These securities are owned solely by the Charles F. Dolan 2011 Grantor Retained Annuity Trust #1A. Charles F. Dolan is the sole trustee and beneficiary of the trust.
9. These securities are owned solely by the Helen A. Dolan 2011 Grantor Retained Annuity Trust #1A. Helen A. Dolan is the sole trustee and beneficiary of the trust.
10. Helen A. Dolan is the sole trustee and beneficiary of the Helen A. Dolan 2009 Revocable Trust.
11. Charles F. Dolan disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities and this report shall not be deemed to be an admission that he is the beneficial owner of such securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.

/s/ William A. Frewin, as
Attorney-in-Fact for Charles F. Dolan 08/16/2012

/s/ William A. Frewin, as
Attorney-in-Fact for Helen A. Dolan 08/16/2012

** 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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