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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading
DOLAN JAMES LAWRENCE	Symbol
	AMC Networks Inc. [AMCX]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Last) (First) (Middle)

(Street)

C Networks Inc. [AMCX]

\_X\_\_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title \_\_X\_ Other (specify

(Check all applicable)

1111 STEWART AVENUE,

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

12/18/2012

below) below) Member of 13(d) Group

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

Applicable Line)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Person

#### BETHPAGE, NY 11714

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative :	Secur	ities 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securiti oror Dispose (Instr. 3, 4	ed of (		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)
Class A Common Stock	12/18/2012		M	53,094	A	\$ 8.95	145,344 <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u>	D (3)	
Class A Common Stock	12/18/2012		S	40,000	D	\$ 50.773	105,344 (1) (2)	D (3)	
Class A Common Stock	12/18/2012		S	13,094	D	\$ 50.73 (12)	92,250 (1) (2)	D (3)	
Class A Common							7,490 (1)	I (4)	By Spouse

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Class A Common Stock	4,225	I (5) (7)	By Minor Children
Class A Common Stock	1,150	I (6) (7)	By Son
Class A Common Stock	405	I (4)	By 401(k)

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	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A)	6. Date Exercisable Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securitie	
	Derivative Security				or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)				
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amour or Number of Shar
Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 8.95	12/18/2012		M	53,094 (8)	03/05/2010(10)	09/05/2014	Class A Common Stock	53,09

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
1 8	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
DOLAN JAMES LAWRENCE 1111 STEWART AVENUE BETHPAGE, NY 11714	X			Member of 13(d) Group		
Dolan Kristin A C/O KNICKERBOCKER GROUP LLC PO BOX 420 OYSTER BAY, NY 11771	X					

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## **Signatures**

/s/ James L. 12/20/2012 Dolan

\*\*Signature of Date

Reporting Person

/s/ Kristin A. 12/20/2012

Dolan

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

## **Explanation of Responses:**

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

Date

- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Includes restricted shares.
- (2) Includes shares held jointly with spouse.
- Securities held directly by Mr. James L. Dolan and indirectly by his spouse, Ms. Kristin A. Dolan. Ms. Dolan disclaims beneficial
- (3) ownership of these securities and this report shall not be deemed to be an admission that she is, for the purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose, the beneficial owner of such securities.
  - Securities held directly, or indirectly through a 401(k) plan, by Mr. Dolan's spouse, Ms. Kristin A. Dolan. Mr. Dolan disclaims
- (4) beneficial ownership of these securities and this report shall not be deemed to be an admission that he is, for the purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose, the beneficial owner of such securities.
- (5) Securities held by James L. Dolan as custodian for the Reporting Persons' minor children.
- (6) Securities held by the Reporting Persons' son.
- (7) Reporting Persons disclaim beneficial ownership of these securities and this report shall not be deemed to be an admission that either is, for the purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose, the beneficial owner of such securities.
- (8) Exercise of options under the Company's Employee Stock Plan, exempt under Rule 16b-3.
- Ms. Dolan disclaims beneficial ownership of all options beneficially owned or deemed to be beneficially owned by her spouse and this report shall not be deemed to be an admission that she is, for the purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose, the beneficial owner of such securities.
- (10) Options vested in three equal annual installments beginning on the date indicated.
- This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$50.50 to \$51.12 per share. The price reported above reflects the (11) weighted average sale price. Mr. Dolan hereby undertakes to provide upon request to the SEC staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer full information regarding the number of shares and prices at which the transaction was effected.
- This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$50.50 to \$50.91 per share. The price reported above reflects the (12) weighted average sale price. Mr. Dolan hereby undertakes to provide upon request to the SEC staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer full information regarding the number of shares and prices at which the transaction was effected.

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