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## FORM 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Ad Trott David		orting Person *	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol Dolan Co. [NYSE: DM]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	ast) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction		3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
			(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner			
C/O THE DOLAN COMPANY, 222			05/26/2010	X Officer (give title Other (specify below)			
SOUTH NINTH STREET, SUITE				Chairman & CEO - NDeX			
2300							
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line)			
MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55402				_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I Non Desirative Committee As	agricult Dianogad of an Danoficially Owned			

(City)	(State)	(Zip) <b>Tabl</b>	e I - Non-I	Derivative	Secur	rities Ac	equired, Disposed	l of, or Benefici	ally Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)			ities d (A) d d of (I 4 and (A)	<b>)</b> )	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	05/26/2010		Code V	Amount 8,978 (1)	or (D)	Price \$ 0	(Instr. 3 and 4) 186,843	D	
Common Stock							30	I	By spouse
Common Stock							50,000	I	By David Trott Revocable Trust

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 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 or Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Derivative Expiration Date Securities (Month/Day/Year) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4,		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock option (right to buy)	\$ 12.23	05/26/2010		A	14,672	<u>(2)</u>	05/26/2017	Common Stock	14,672

#### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships	
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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Trott David A C/O THE DOLAN COMPANY 222 SOUTH NINTH STREET, SUITE 2300 MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55402

Chairman & CEO - NDeX

#### **Signatures**

/s/ Scott J. Pollei as attorney-in-fact for David A.
Trott

05/28/2010

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

### **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* 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).
- These are restricted shares of common stock issued to Mr. Trott under the Issuer's 2007 Incentive Compensation Plan, as amended and restated. The shares vest in four equal annual installments on each of May 26, 2011, 2012, 2013 and 2014.
- (2) This option vests in four equal annual installments on each of May 26, 2011, 2012, 2013 and 2014.

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