

DOLAN CHARLES F
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
DOLAN CHARLES F

(Last) (First) (Middle)

**C/O DOLAN FAMILY
 OFFICE, 340 CROSSWAYS PARK
 DRIVE**

(Street)

WOODBURY, NY 11797

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
AMC Networks Inc. [AMCX]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
12/22/2017

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
Executive Chairman / Member of 13D Group

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

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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 Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				(A) or (D)	Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price

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	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4. Transaction	5. Number of Derivative Securities	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date	7. Title and Amount Underlying Securities
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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 3 and 4)				
			Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number Shares
Class B Common Stock	(1)	12/22/2017	G	V		302,143	(1)	(1)	Class A Common Stock	302,
Class B Common Stock	(1)	12/22/2017	G	V	302,143		(1)	(1)	Class A Common Stock	302,
Class B Common Stock	(1)	12/22/2017	G	V		59,831	(1)	(1)	Class A Common Stock	59,8
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
DOLAN CHARLES F C/O DOLAN FAMILY OFFICE 340 CROSSWAYS PARK DRIVE WOODBURY, NY 11797	X	X	Executive Chairman	Member of 13D Group
DOLAN HELEN A C/O DOLAN FAMILY OFFICE 340 CROSSWAYS PARK DRIVE WOODBURY, NY 11797		X		Member of 13D Group
Charles F. Dolan 2016 Grantor Retained Annuity Trust #1A C/O DOLAN FAMILY OFFICE 340 CROSSWAYS PARK DRIVE WOODBURY, NY 11797				Member of 13D Group
Helen A. Dolan 2016 Grantor Retained Annuity Trust #1A C/O DOLAN FAMILY OFFICE 340 CROSSWAYS PARK DRIVE WOODBURY, NY 11797				Member of 13D Group

Signatures

/s/ Brian G. Sweeney, as Attorney-in-Fact for Charles F. Dolan	12/26/2017
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
/s/ Brian G. Sweeney, as Attorney-in-Fact for Helen A. Dolan	12/26/2017
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
CHARLES F. DOLAN 2016 GRANTOR RETAINED ANNUITY TRUST #1A By: /s/ Brian G. Sweeney, Attorney-in-Fact	12/26/2017
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
HELEN A. DOLAN 2016 GRANTOR RETAINED ANNUITY TRUST #1A By: /s/ Brian G. Sweeney, Attorney-in-Fact	12/26/2017
**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).
- (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) Gift.
 - (3) These securities are owned solely by the Charles F. Dolan 2016 Grantor Retained Annuity Trust #1A. Charles F. Dolan is the sole trustee and beneficiary of the 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, for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose, the beneficial owner of such securities.
 - (5) Charles F. Dolan is a co-trustee and beneficiary of the Charles F. Dolan 2009 Revocable Trust.
 - (6) These securities are owned solely by the Helen A. Dolan 2016 Grantor Retained Annuity Trust #1A. Helen A. Dolan is the sole trustee and beneficiary of the trust.
 - (7) Charles F. Dolan disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities and this report shall not be deemed to be an admission that he is, for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose, the beneficial owner of such securities.
 - (8) Helen A. Dolan is a co-trustee and beneficiary of the Helen A. Dolan 2009 Revocable Trust.

Remarks:

Exhibit List

Exhibit 24.1 - Power of Attorney
Exhibit 24.2 - Power of Attorney
Exhibit 24.3 - Power of Attorney
Exhibit 24.4 - Power of Attorney

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