

DOLAN-SWEENEY DEBORAH A  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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-SWEENEY DEBORAH A**

(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)  
**06/30/2011**

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)  
 Member of 13(d) Group

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
AMC Networks Inc. Class A Common Stock	06/30/2011		J <sup>(1)</sup>		5,643 <sup>(1)</sup>	A	Ⓛ
AMC Networks Inc. Class A Common Stock					28,474 <sup>(2)</sup>	I <sup>(2)</sup>	By Spouse <sup>(2)</sup>
					5,225 <sup>(3)</sup>	I <sup>(3)</sup>	

AMC  
Networks  
Inc. Class A  
Common  
Stock

By Trusts  
(3)

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 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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Owned Following Reporting Transaction (Instr. 5)
				Code V (A) (D)		Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Amount or Number of Shares		

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
DOLAN-SWEENEY DEBORAH A C/O DOLAN FAMILY OFFICE 340 CROSSWAYS PARK DRIVE WOODBURY, NY 11797				Member of 13(d) Group
Sweeney Brian 1111 STEWART AVENUE BETHPAGE, NY 11714			X	

## Signatures

By: /s/ Brian G. Sweeney, Attorney-in-fact for Deborah A. Dolan-Sweeney 07/05/2011

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person

Date

/s/ Brian G. Sweeney 07/05/2011

\_\_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).

Class A Common Stock received by Ms. Dolan-Sweeney in connection with the legal and structural separation of AMC Networks Inc. ("AMC") from Cablevision Systems Corporation ("Cablevision") (the "Spin-off") in an exempt transaction under Rule 16a-9 or 16b-6.

(1) Mr. Sweeney disclaims beneficial ownership of all shares of AMC beneficially owned or deemed to be beneficially owned by his spouse and this report shall not be deemed to be an admission that Mr. Sweeney is, for the purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose, the beneficial owner of such securities.

Represents Class A Common Stock, received by Mr. Sweeney in connection with the Spin-off in an exempt transaction under Rule 16a-9.

(2) Includes shares of restricted stock held by Mr. Sweeney. Reflects transfer of shares previously owned directly by Cablevision and its subsidiaries exempt under Rule 16a-13. Ms. Dolan-Sweeney disclaims beneficial ownership of all shares of AMC beneficially owned or deemed to be beneficially owned by her spouse and this report shall not be deemed to be an admission that Ms. Dolan-Sweeney is, for the purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose, the beneficial owner of such securities.

Represents shares of Class A Common Stock received by trusts for the benefit of Reporting Persons' children in connection with the Spin-off in an exempt transaction under Rule 16a-9. Reflects transfer of shares previously owned directly by Cablevision and its

(3) subsidiaries exempt under Rule 16a-13. The Reporting Persons disclaim beneficial ownership of all shares of AMC beneficially owned or deemed to be beneficially owned by trusts for their children and this report shall not be deemed to be an admission that the Reporting Persons are, for the purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose, the beneficial owners of such securities.

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