

AMC Networks Inc.
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
WEBER MARIANNE DOLAN

(Last) (First) (Middle)
11 PENN PLAZA

(Street)

NEW YORK, NY 10001

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
07/15/2011

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)

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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 Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Ownership Indirect Beneficial 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 Security | 2. Conversion or Exercise | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any | 4. Transaction Code | 5. Number of Derivative Securities | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------|------------------------------------|--|---|
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| (Instr. 3) | Price of Derivative Security | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) | Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) | | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
|------------------------------|------------------------------------|------------------|------------------|--|-----|---------------------------|--------------------|---|--|
| | | | | (A) | (D) | | | | |
| Options (Right to Buy) | \$ 13.78 <u>(1)</u> | 07/15/2011 | J ⁽²⁾ | 1,000 <u>(2)</u> | | 07/15/2011 ⁽³⁾ | 05/19/2015 | AMC Networks Inc. Class A Common Stock | 1,000 |
| Options (Right to Buy) | \$ 17.37 <u>(1)</u> | 07/15/2011 | J ⁽²⁾ | 1,000 <u>(2)</u> | | 07/15/2011 ⁽³⁾ | 05/18/2016 | AMC Networks Inc. Class A Common Stock | 1,000 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|--------------------------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| WEBER MARIANNE DOLAN 11 PENN PLAZA NEW YORK, NY 10001 | X | | | Member of 13(d) Group |

Signatures

/s/ Sean S. Sullivan, Attorney-in-fact for Marianne Dolan
Weber

07/19/2011

 Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

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

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(1) The exercise price was determined by allocating the exercise price for the option under the Cablevision Systems Corporation ("Cablevision") equity plan between the existing Cablevision option and the AMC Networks Inc. ("AMC") option upon the average of the volume weighted average prices of the Cablevision NY Group Class A Common Stock and the AMC Class A Common Stock for each trading day in the ten trading-day period immediately following the legal and structural separation of AMC from Cablevision (the "Spin-off") in a transaction exempt under Rule 16a-9. The underlying share amount takes into account the distribution ratio of four Cablevision shares of common stock to one share of AMC common stock.

(2) Represents options to purchase Class A Common Stock received by the Reporting Person in connection with the Spin-off, and granted pursuant to the AMC 2011 Stock Plan for Non-Employee Directors in a transaction exempt under Rules 16a-9 or 16b-6 and 16b-3.

(3) The Options are fully exercisable and vested as of the date of this filing.

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