

AMC Networks Inc.  
Form 5  
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# FORM 5

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
**Washington, D.C. 20549**

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**ANNUAL 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

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* CHARLES F. DOLAN 2009  
FAMILY TRUST FBO KATHLEEN M. DOLAN  
(Last) (First) (Middle)

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
(Check all applicable)

3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year) 12/31/2011

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_\_\_ Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
Member of 13(d) Group

C/O DOLAN FAMILY OFFICE, 340 CROSSWAYS PARK DRIVE

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting  
(check applicable line)

WOODBURY, NY 11797

(City) (State) (Zip)

\_\_\_\_ Form Filed by One Reporting Person  
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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 at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
|                                 |                                      |                                                    |                                | (A) or (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)**

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| 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) |     | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) |                  | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) |                            | 8. F. Der. Sec. (Instr. 3) |
|--------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|----------------------------------------------------------|------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|
|                                            |                                                        |                                      |                                                    |                                | (A)                                                                | (D) | Date Exercisable                                         | Expiration Date  | Title                                                         | Amount or Number of Shares |                            |
| AMC Networks Inc. Class B Common Stock     | \$ 0 <sup>(2)</sup>                                    | 12/14/2011                           | Â                                                  | G                              | 350                                                                | Â   | Â <sup>(2)</sup>                                         | Â <sup>(2)</sup> | AMC Networks Inc. Class A Common Stock                        | 350                        | \$                         |
| AMC Networks Inc. Class B Common Stock     | \$ 0 <sup>(2)</sup>                                    | 12/14/2011                           | Â                                                  | G                              | 350                                                                | Â   | Â <sup>(2)</sup>                                         | Â <sup>(2)</sup> | AMC Networks Inc. Class A Common Stock                        | 350                        | \$                         |
| AMC Networks Inc. Class B Common Stock     | \$ 0 <sup>(2)</sup>                                    | 12/14/2011                           | Â                                                  | G                              | 350                                                                | Â   | Â <sup>(2)</sup>                                         | Â <sup>(2)</sup> | AMC Networks Inc. Class A Common Stock                        | 350                        | \$                         |
| AMC Networks Inc. Class B Common Stock     | \$ 0 <sup>(2)</sup>                                    | 12/14/2011                           | Â                                                  | G                              | 350                                                                | Â   | Â <sup>(2)</sup>                                         | Â <sup>(2)</sup> | AMC Networks Inc. Class A Common Stock                        | 350                        | \$                         |
| AMC Networks Inc. Class B Common Stock     | \$ 0 <sup>(2)</sup>                                    | 12/14/2011                           | Â                                                  | G                              | 350                                                                | Â   | Â <sup>(2)</sup>                                         | Â <sup>(2)</sup> | AMC Networks Inc. Class A Common Stock                        | 350                        | \$                         |
| AMC Networks Inc. Class B Common           | \$ 0 <sup>(2)</sup>                                    | 12/14/2011                           | Â                                                  | G                              | 350                                                                | Â   | Â <sup>(2)</sup>                                         | Â <sup>(2)</sup> | AMC Networks Inc. Class A Common                              | 350                        | \$                         |

Stock

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## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                                                                                               | Relationships |           |         |                       |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|-----------|---------|-----------------------|
|                                                                                                                                              | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other                 |
| CHARLES F. DOLAN 2009 FAMILY TRUST FBO KATHLEEN M. DOLAN<br>C/O DOLAN FAMILY OFFICE<br>340 CROSSWAYS PARK DRIVE<br>WOODBURY, NY 11797        | Â             | Â         | Â       | Member of 13(d) Group |
| CHARLES F. DOLAN 2009 FAMILY TRUST FBO DEBORAH A. DOLAN-SWEENEY<br>C/O DOLAN FAMILY OFFICE<br>340 CROSSWAYS PARK DRIVE<br>WOODBURY, NY 11797 | Â             | Â         | Â       | Member of 13(d) Group |
| CHARLES F. DOLAN 2009 FAMILY TRUST FBO MARIANNE DOLAN WEBER<br>C/O DOLAN FAMILY OFFICE<br>340 CROSSWAYS PARK DRIVE<br>WOODBURY, NY 11797     | Â             | Â         | Â       | Member of 13(d) Group |
| CHARLES F. DOLAN 2009 FAMILY TRUST FBO PATRICK F. DOLAN<br>C/O DOLAN FAMILY OFFICE<br>340 CROSSWAYS PARK DRIVE<br>WOODBURY, NY 11797         | Â             | Â         | Â       | Member of 13(d) Group |
| CHARLES F. DOLAN 2009 FAMILY TRUST FBO THOMAS C. DOLAN<br>C/O DOLAN FAMILY OFFICE<br>340 CROSSWAYS PARK DRIVE<br>WOODBURY, NY 11797          | Â             | Â         | Â       | Member of 13(d) Group |
| CHARLES F. DOLAN 2009 FAMILY TRUST FBO JAMES L. DOLAN<br>C/O KNICKERBOCKER GROUP LLC<br>PO BOX 420<br>OYSTER BAY, NY 11771                   | Â             | Â         | Â       | Member of 13(d) Group |

## Signatures

David M. Dolan, as Trustee of the CHARLES F. DOLAN 2009 FAMILY TRUST FBO KATHLEEN M. DOLAN By: /s/ Brian G. Sweeney, Attorney-in-Fact

02/14/2012

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

David M. Dolan, as Trustee of the CHARLES F. DOLAN 2009 FAMILY TRUST FBO DEBORAH A. DOLAN-SWEENEY By: /s/ Brian G. Sweeney, Attorney-in-Fact

02/14/2012

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| David M. Dolan, as Trustee of the CHARLES F. DOLAN 2009 FAMILY TRUST FBO<br>MARIANNE DOLAN WEBER By: /s/ Brian G. Sweeney, Attorney-in-Fact | 02/14/2012 |
| **Signature of Reporting Person                                                                                                             | Date       |
| David M. Dolan, as Trustee of the CHARLES F. DOLAN 2009 FAMILY TRUST FBO<br>PATRICK F. DOLAN By: /s/ Brian G. Sweeney, Attorney-in-Fact     | 02/14/2012 |
| **Signature of Reporting Person                                                                                                             | Date       |
| David M. Dolan, as Trustee of the CHARLES F. DOLAN 2009 FAMILY TRUST FBO<br>THOMAS C. DOLAN By: /s/ Brian G. Sweeney, Attorney-in-Fact      | 02/14/2012 |
| **Signature of Reporting Person                                                                                                             | Date       |
| David M. Dolan, as Trustee of the CHARLES F. DOLAN 2009 FAMILY TRUST FBO<br>JAMES . DOLAN By: /s/ Brian G. Sweeney, Attorney-in-Fact        | 02/14/2012 |
| **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) Gift.
  - (2) 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.  

These securities are owned solely by the Charles F. Dolan 2009 Family Trust FBO Kathleen M. Dolan, which is a member of a "group" with the other reporting persons for purposes of Section 13(d) of the Exchange Act. Each of the other reporting persons disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities and this report shall not be deemed to be an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of such securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
  - (3) 

These securities are owned solely by the Charles F. Dolan 2009 Family Trust FBO Deborah A. Dolan-Sweeney, which is a member of a "group" with the other reporting persons for purposes of Section 13(d) of the Exchange Act. Each of the other reporting persons disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities and this report shall not be deemed to be an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of such securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
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  - (6) 

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  - (7) 

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  - (8) 

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