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Stock AMC Networks Inc. Class A Â Common Stock	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	2,971	I	By David M. Dolan Rev. Trust
AMC Networks Inc. Class A Â Common Stock	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	5,250	I	By Ann H. Dolan Rev. Trust
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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)	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. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
				(Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Date	Expiration		Amount	
				(A) (D)	Exercisable	Date		Number of Shares	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Dolan David M C/O DOLAN FAMILY OFFICE 340 CROSSWAYS PARK DRIVE WOODBURY, NY 11797	Â	Â	Â	Member of 13(d) Group		

Signatures

/s/ William A. Frewin, Attorney-in-fact for David M.	02/14/2012
Dolan	02/14/2012
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date

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- (1) Gift.
- (2) Shares held jointly with spouse.
- (3) Shares held by reporting person's spouse as custodian for minor child.
- (4) Reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities and this report shall not be deemed to be an admission that such person is the beneficial owner of such securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.

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