

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>TOW LEONARD</u>			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>AMC Networks Inc. [AMCX]</u>			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>07/15/2011</u>			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
<u>11 PENN PLAZA</u>			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)					
(Street) <u>NEW YORK NY 10001</u>								
(City) (State) (Zip)								

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

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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date						Title
Options (Right to Buy)	\$13.78 ⁽¹⁾	07/15/2011		J ⁽²⁾		1,000 ⁽²⁾		07/15/2011 ⁽³⁾	05/19/2015	AMC Networks Inc. Class A Common Stock	1,000	\$0	1,000	D	
Options (Right to Buy)	\$17.37 ⁽¹⁾	07/15/2011		J ⁽²⁾		1,000 ⁽²⁾		07/15/2011 ⁽³⁾	05/18/2016	AMC Networks Inc. Class A Common Stock	1,000	\$0	1,000	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- 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 based upon the ten-day weighted average prices of the Cablevision NY Group Class A Common Stock and the AMC Class A Common Stock 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.
- 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.
- The options are fully exercisable and vested as of the date of this filing.

/s/ Anne G. Kelly, Attorney-in-fact for Leonard Tow 07/19/2011

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

* 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).

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