

BARNES & NOBLE INC  
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**FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
**Washington, D.C. 20549**

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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *		2. Date of Event Requiring Statement	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	
Liberty Media Corp		(Month/Day/Year)	BARNES & NOBLE INC [BKS]	
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	01/11/2013	
12300 LIBERTY BLVD.			4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer	5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)
(Street)			(Check all applicable)	
ENGLEWOOD, CO 80112			<input type="checkbox"/> Director	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	<input type="checkbox"/> Officer	<input type="checkbox"/> Other
			(give title below)	(specify below)
				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person
				<input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
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Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date			
		Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Series J Preferred Stock	10/28/2011	08/18/2021 <sup>(1)</sup>	Common Stock	12,000,000	\$ <sup>(2)</sup>	I	Held through wholly owned subsidiary <sup>(3)</sup>
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## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Liberty Media Corp 12300 LIBERTY BLVD. ENGLEWOOD, CO 80112	Â	Â X	Â	Â

## Signatures

Liberty Media Corporation By: /s/ Craig Troyer, Title: Vice President 01/22/2013

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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) The Series J Preferred Stock is mandatorily redeemable on the tenth anniversary of the original issuance date.
- (2) Each share of Series J Preferred Stock is convertible at any time into 58.8235 shares of common stock, subject to adjustment in accordance with the provisions of the Certificate of Designations of the Series J Preferred Stock and subject to customary antidilution adjustment provisions.
- (3) The shares of Series J Preferred Stock are held directly by Liberty GIC, Inc., which is a wholly owned subsidiary of the Reporting Person.

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### Remarks:

On January 11, 2013, the Reporting Person changed its name from "Liberty Spinco, Inc." to "Liberty Media Corporation"

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