Sapan Joshua W Form 4 May 31, 2013

# FORM 4

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#### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** Sapan Joshua W			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AMC Networks Inc. [AMCX]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check an applicable)		
11 PENN PLAZA (Street)			(Month/Day/Year) 05/29/2013	Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)  President and CEO		
			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
NEW YORK, NY 10001			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

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	(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-l	Derivative	Secur	rities Acquir	ed, Disposed of,	or Beneficially	y Owned
Se	Fitle of ecurity nstr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	omr Dispos (Instr. 3, 4	ed of (4 and 5 (A) or	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)
In A Co	MC etworks c. Class ommon	05/29/2013		Code V  M	Amount 93,950	(D)	Price \$ 8.95	290,062 (1)	D	
No In A Co	MC etworks c. Class ommon	05/29/2013		S	93,950	D	\$ 66.9534 (2)	196,112 <u>(1)</u>	D	

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

I S	. 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)			vative Expiration Date urities (Month/Day/Year) uired (A) isposed of  r. 3, 4,		7. Title and Amount o Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
					Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amoun or Numbe of Shar
(	Options Right to Buy)	\$ 8.95 (3)	05/29/2013		M	93	3,950	03/05/2010(4)	09/05/2014	AMC Networks Inc. Class A Common Stock	93,95

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Sapan Joshua W 11 PENN PLAZA NEW YORK, NY 10001

President and CEO

**Signatures** 

Anne G. Kelly, Attorney-in-fact for Joshua W. Sapan

05/31/2013

\*\*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) Includes restricted shares.
- This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$66.77 to \$67.21 per share. The price reported above reflects the weighted average sales price. Mr. Sapan hereby undertakes to provide upon request to the SEC staff, the issuer or a security holder of the
- (2) weighted average sales price. Mr. Sapan hereby undertakes to provide upon request to the SEC staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer full information regarding the number of shares and prices at which the transaction was effected.
- (3) Exercise of options under the Company's Employee Stock plan, exempt under Rule 16b-3.

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(4) Options vested in three equal annual installments beginning on the date indicated.

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