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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> WAXMAN SPENCER M.	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year)	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol HOLLYWOOD MEDIA CORP [HOLL]				
(Last) (First) (Middle)	12/18/2008	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <u>Orrector</u> 10% Owner <u>Officer</u> Other (give title below) (specify below)		5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)		
C/O SHANNON RIVER PARTNERS, 800 THIRD AVENUE 30TH FLOOR (Street) NEW YORK, NY 10022				6. Individual or Joint/Group		
NEW TORK, A NTA 10022				Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City) (State) (Zip)	Table I - N	Non-Derivati	ve Securiti	es Beneficially Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount o Beneficially (Instr. 4)		3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)		
Common Stock	3,123,860		Ι	See footnote (1)		
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Table II - Derivative Secur	ities Beneficially Owned (e.	.g., puts, calls,	warrants, opt	ions, convertible securities)		

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

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Date	Expiration	Title	Amount or	Security	Direct (D)
Exercisable	Date		Number of		or Indirect
			Shares		(I)
					(Instr. 5)

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationships				
		Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
WAXMAN SPENCER M. C/O SHANNON RIVER PARTNERS 800 THIRD AVENUE 30TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022		ÂX	Â	Â	Â	
Signatures						
/s/ Spencer M. Waxman	12/29/2008					
<u>**</u> 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).

These shares of the Issuer's common stock, par value \$.01 per share ("Shares"), are held in the accounts of various private investment funds and separately managed accounts, for which Shannon River Fund Management Co. LLC and Shannon River Global Management

(1) LLC (the "Investment Managers") serve as the Investment Managers. Mr. Spencer Waxman, as the managing member of the Investment Managers, has an indirect beneficial ownership in these Shares.

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Remarks:

The filing of this Form 3 shall not be construed as an admission that the Investment Managers c the purposes of Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwiseÂ of the Shares purchased by the Funds. Pursuant to Rule 16a-1, both the Investment Managers anc beneficial ownership.

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