# FORM 4

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

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(Print or Ty	pe Response	s)																	
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MALONE JOHN C					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol LIBERTY MEDIA CORP [LCAPA]							5	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  X Director X 10% Owner						
(Last) (First) (Middle) 12300 LIBERTY BLVD.					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/07/2008								X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)  Chairman of the Board						
(Street)				4. I	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
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(City	)	(State)	(Zip)			Tal	ble I	- No	n-De	erivative	Secu	rities A	Acquir	ed, Dispo	osed of, or I	Beneficially	Owned		
(Instr. 3)		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Y	ear) Exec	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Code (Instr. 8)		(A) or Disposed (Instr. 3, 4 and 5		ed of (	ed of (D) Bo		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		Ownership Form:		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
							Coo	de	v	Amou	nt	(A) or (D)	Price			or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)			nstr. 4)
Series A Liberty Capital Common Stock		10/07/2008				D	)		4,500,0	000	D	\$ 11	2,728,314		D				
Series A Liberty Capital Common Stock												75,252 <sup>(1)</sup>		I	By Sp	y pouse			
Series A Liberty Capital Common Stock													165		I	By (2)	y Trust		
Series A Liberty Capital Common Stock													200 (3)		I		01(k) avings		
Reminder:	Report on a s	separate line	for each class of	securities	beneficiall	y ow	vned (		Per con	sons wh ntained i	no re in thi	s forn	n are	not requ	ction of inf ired to res	spond unle	ess	EC 147	74 (9-02)
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1. Title of	2.	3. Transacti	on 3A. Dec		puts, calls		<u>rran</u> 5.	ıs, op		•				le and	8. Price of	9. Number	of 10.		11. Natur
Derivative	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	Date	e Execution Do onth/Day/Year) any		tre, if Transaction Code Year) (Instr. 8)		Number		and (M	5. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date Month/Day/Year)		Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		Own Form Deriv Secu Direct or In	vative rity: et (D) direct	of Indirect Beneficia Ownershi (Instr. 4)	
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## **Reporting Owners**

٠	P ( O N /	Relationships							
	Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
	MALONE JOHN C 12300 LIBERTY BLVD. ENGLEWOOD, CO 80112	X	X	Chairman of the Board					

### **Signatures**

/s/ John C. Malone	10/09/2008
***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) The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares owned by his spouse.
- (2) The Reporting Person is the sole trustee of and, with his spouse, retains a unitrust interest in the trust.
  - The number of shares represents equivalent shares based on the fair market value of the shares of the Issuer's Series A Liberty Capital common stock held by the unitized
- (3) stock fund under the Issuer's 401(k) Savings Plan based on a report from the Plan Administrator dated as of September 30, 2008. The Reporting Person has an interest in the unitized fund, which holds shares of the Issuer's Series A Liberty Capital common stock, Series A Liberty Interactive common stock, Series A Liberty Entertainment common stock and short-term investments.

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