

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person - LIBERTY MEDIA CORP			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol DIRECTV GROUP INC [DTV]			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) ____ Director ____ Officer (give title below) _____ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner ____ Other (specify below)		
(Last) (First) (Middle) 12300 LIBERTY BOULEVARD			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/19/2009					
(Street) ENGLEWOOD, CO 80112			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)			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		
(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			
Common Stock	11/19/2009		J		548,720,752	D	\$ 0	0	I	Held through wholly-owned subsidiary

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

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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 Underlying Securities (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 of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Call option (obligation to sell)	\$ 28.3292	11/19/2009		J			1	12/30/2009	12/30/2009	Common Stock	11,250,000	\$ 0	0	I	Held through wholly-owned subsidiary
Put option (right to sell)	\$ 22.8891	11/19/2009		J			1	12/30/2009	12/30/2009	Common Stock	11,250,000	\$ 0	0	I	Held through wholly-owned subsidiary
Call option (obligation to sell)	\$ 29.2069	11/19/2009		J			1	07/14/2010	07/14/2010	Common Stock	17,500,000	\$ 0	0	I	Held through wholly-owned subsidiary
Put option (right to sell)	\$ 20.9272	11/19/2009		J			1	07/14/2010	07/14/2010	Common Stock	17,500,000	\$ 0	0	I	Held through wholly-owned subsidiary
Call option (obligation to sell)	\$ 30.329	11/19/2009		J			1	01/26/2011	01/26/2011	Common Stock	12,500,000	\$ 0	0	I	Held through wholly-owned subsidiary
Put option (right to sell)	\$ 22.8891	11/19/2009		J			1	01/26/2011	01/26/2011	Common Stock	12,500,000	\$ 0	0	I	Held through wholly-owned subsidiary
Call option (obligation to sell)	\$ 31.519	11/19/2009		J			1	08/10/2011	08/10/2011	Common Stock	15,000,000	\$ 0	0	I	Held through wholly-owned subsidiary
Put option (right to sell)	\$ 20.9272	11/19/2009		J			1	08/10/2011	08/10/2011	Common Stock	15,000,000	\$ 0	0	I	Held through wholly-owned subsidiary
Call option (obligation to sell)	\$ 32.7299	11/19/2009		J			1	02/15/2012	02/15/2012	Common Stock	17,500,000	\$ 0	0	I	Held through wholly-owned subsidiary
Put option (right to sell)	\$ 22.8891	11/19/2009		J			1	02/15/2012	02/15/2012	Common Stock	17,500,000	\$ 0	0	I	Held through wholly-owned subsidiary
Call option (obligation to sell)	\$ 33.2471	11/19/2009		J			1	08/29/2012	08/29/2012	Common Stock	25,000,000	\$ 0	0	I	Held through wholly-owned subsidiary
Put option (right to sell)	\$ 20.9272	11/19/2009		J			1	08/29/2012	08/29/2012	Common Stock	25,000,000	\$ 0	0	I	Held through wholly-owned subsidiary

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
LIBERTY MEDIA CORP 12300 LIBERTY BOULEVARD ENGLEWOOD, CO 80112		X		

Signatures

LIBERTY MEDIA CORPORATION By: /S/ Craig Troyer Vice President		11/23/2009
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).

Remarks:

On November 19, 2009, the Reporting Person caused its subsidiaries to contribute to Liberty Entertainment, Inc. ("LEI"), among other things, the wholly-owned subsidiaries of the Reporting Person that hold all of the shares of common stock of the Issuer beneficially owned by the Reporting Person and that are a party to the zero cost collar arrangements described in the Form 4 filed by the owned subsidiary of the Issuer ("Holdings") and certain other persons was completed, pursuant to which, among other things, LEI and the Issuer separately merged with subsidiaries of Holdings and Holdings became the new parent holdi

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