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

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person –<br>TANABE CHARLES Y          |                   |                                                            | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol<br>LIBERTY MEDIA CORP [LCAPA] |                                                             |                                                                            |                                                                                |                                                                |                    | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner          |                                                                                                |                               |                                                                   |                                                        |                                                                    |                                 |
| (Last) (First) (Middle) 12300 LIBERTY BLVD.                            |                   |                                                            |                                                                           | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/15/2010 |                                                                            |                                                                                |                                                                |                    |                                                                                                     | X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)  Executive Vice President                   |                               |                                                                   |                                                        |                                                                    |                                 |
| (Street)                                                               |                   |                                                            | 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)                      |                                                             |                                                                            |                                                                                |                                                                |                    | 6. Individual or Joint/Gr<br>_X_ Form filed by One Reporti                                          | oup Filing(Chec                                                                                | ck Applicable Line)           |                                                                   |                                                        |                                                                    |                                 |
| ENGLEWOOD, C                                                           | O 80112           |                                                            |                                                                           |                                                             |                                                                            |                                                                                |                                                                |                    |                                                                                                     |                                                                                                | Form filed by More than O     | ne Reporting Perso                                                | on                                                     |                                                                    |                                 |
| (City) (State) (Zip) Table                                             |                   |                                                            |                                                                           |                                                             | ble I - N                                                                  | ole I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned |                                                                |                    |                                                                                                     |                                                                                                |                               |                                                                   |                                                        |                                                                    |                                 |
| 1.Title of Security 2. Transacti Date (Month/Day                       |                   | Execution Date,                                            |                                                                           | , i                                                         |                                                                            | e 4. Securities Acquired (A) or<br>Disposed of (D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)      |                                                                |                    | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned<br>Following Reported Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |                                                                                                |                               | 6.<br>Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)                            | 7. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership    |                                                                    |                                 |
|                                                                        |                   |                                                            |                                                                           | Ì                                                           |                                                                            | Code                                                                           | v                                                              | Amount             | (A) or (D)                                                                                          | Price                                                                                          |                               |                                                                   |                                                        | or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)                                         | (Instr. 4)                      |
| Series A Liberty Ca                                                    | apital Commo      | on Stock                                                   | 03/15/2010                                                                | 0                                                           |                                                                            | F                                                                              |                                                                | 1,680<br>(1)       | D                                                                                                   | \$ 33.43<br>(1)                                                                                | 61,834                        |                                                                   |                                                        | D                                                                  |                                 |
| Series A Liberty Capital Common Stock                                  |                   |                                                            |                                                                           |                                                             |                                                                            |                                                                                |                                                                |                    |                                                                                                     |                                                                                                | 153 (2)                       |                                                                   |                                                        | I                                                                  | By<br>Spouse                    |
| Series A Liberty Capital Common Stock                                  |                   |                                                            |                                                                           |                                                             |                                                                            |                                                                                |                                                                |                    |                                                                                                     |                                                                                                | 889 <sup>(3)</sup>            |                                                                   |                                                        | I                                                                  | By<br>401(k)<br>Savings<br>Plan |
| Series A Liberty Interactive Common Stock 03/15/                       |                   |                                                            | 03/15/2010                                                                | 0                                                           |                                                                            | F                                                                              |                                                                | 4,427<br>(1)       | D                                                                                                   | \$ 14.11<br>(1)                                                                                | 121,494                       |                                                                   |                                                        | D                                                                  |                                 |
| Series A Liberty Interactive Common Stock                              |                   |                                                            |                                                                           |                                                             |                                                                            |                                                                                |                                                                |                    |                                                                                                     | 767 <sup>(2)</sup>                                                                             |                               |                                                                   | I                                                      | By<br>Spouse                                                       |                                 |
| Series A Liberty In                                                    | iteractive Con    | nmon Stock                                                 |                                                                           |                                                             |                                                                            |                                                                                |                                                                |                    |                                                                                                     |                                                                                                | 7,582 <sup>(3)</sup>          |                                                                   |                                                        | I                                                                  | By<br>401(k)<br>Savings<br>Plan |
| Series A Liberty Starz Common Stock 03/15/20                           |                   | 03/15/2010                                                 | 0                                                                         |                                                             | F                                                                          |                                                                                | 392 (1)                                                        | D                  | \$ 52.39<br>(1)                                                                                     | 10,343                                                                                         |                               |                                                                   | D                                                      |                                                                    |                                 |
| Series A Liberty St                                                    | tarz Common       | Stock                                                      |                                                                           |                                                             |                                                                            |                                                                                |                                                                |                    |                                                                                                     |                                                                                                | 61 <sup>(2)</sup>             |                                                                   |                                                        | I                                                                  | By<br>Spouse                    |
| Series A Liberty Starz Common Stock                                    |                   |                                                            |                                                                           |                                                             |                                                                            |                                                                                |                                                                |                    |                                                                                                     | 366 (3)                                                                                        |                               |                                                                   | I                                                      | By<br>401(k)<br>Savings<br>Plan                                    |                                 |
| Reminder: Report on a                                                  | separate line for | each class of securitie                                    | s beneficially own                                                        | ned directly                                                | or indirectly.                                                             |                                                                                | Doros                                                          | no who ro          |                                                                                                     | a tha aalla                                                                                    | ection of information of      | antained in                                                       | thio form are                                          | SEC                                                                | 1474 (9-02)                     |
|                                                                        |                   |                                                            |                                                                           |                                                             |                                                                            |                                                                                |                                                                | quired to          |                                                                                                     |                                                                                                | ne form displays a cur        |                                                                   |                                                        | SEC                                                                | 1474 (9-02)                     |
|                                                                        |                   |                                                            | Т                                                                         |                                                             |                                                                            | rities Acquire, warrants, op                                                   |                                                                |                    |                                                                                                     |                                                                                                | d                             |                                                                   |                                                        |                                                                    |                                 |
| Security or Exercise Date Exe (Instr. 3) Price of (Month/Day/Year) any |                   | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, it<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year | 4. Transa<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8)                                           | 5. N<br>Der<br>Acc<br>Dis                                   | Number of rivative Securities quired (A) or posed of (D) str. 3, 4, and 5) |                                                                                | 6. Date Exercisable<br>and Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) |                    | 7. Title<br>Underly                                                                                 | and Amount of<br>ying Securities 3 and 4)  8. Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5) |                               | 9. Number of<br>Derivative<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned | 10.<br>Ownership<br>Form of<br>Derivative<br>Security: | 11. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |                                 |
|                                                                        |                   |                                                            |                                                                           | Code                                                        | V                                                                          | (A) (                                                                          | D)                                                             | Date<br>Exercisabl | Expirat<br>Date                                                                                     | ion Title                                                                                      | Amount or Number of<br>Shares |                                                                   | Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 4)  | Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I)<br>(Instr. 4)                     |                                 |
| Reporting O                                                            | wners             |                                                            |                                                                           |                                                             |                                                                            |                                                                                |                                                                |                    |                                                                                                     |                                                                                                |                               |                                                                   |                                                        |                                                                    |                                 |
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| D 4 0 N 4                                                      | Relationships |              |                          |       |  |  |  |
|----------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|--------------|--------------------------|-------|--|--|--|
| Reporting Owner Name /<br>Address                              | Director      | 10%<br>Owner | Officer                  | Other |  |  |  |
| TANABE CHARLES Y<br>12300 LIBERTY BLVD.<br>ENGLEWOOD, CO 80112 |               |              | Executive Vice President |       |  |  |  |

### **Signatures**

| /s/ Charles Y. Tanabe         | 03/17/2010 |
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| 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 shares disposed of in the transaction were held by the Issuer in connection with the payment of withholding taxes on restricted shares that vested as of March 15, 2010. The price is based on an average of the high and low trading prices on March 15, 2010.

- (2) The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares owned by his spouse.
- The number of shares represents equivalent shares based on the fair market value of the shares of Series A Liberty Capital Common Stock, Series A Liberty Interactive Common Stock, and Series A Liberty Starz Common Stock held by (3) the unitized stock fund under the Issuer's 401(k) Savings Plan based on a report from the Plan Administrator dated as of February 28, 2010. The Reporting Person has an interest in the unitized fund, which holds shares of Series A Liberty Capital Common Stock, Series A Liberty Interactive Common Stock, Series A Liberty Starz Common Stock and short-term investments.

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The trading symbol for the Issuer's Series A Liberty Capital Common Stock is LCAPA, Series A Liberty Interactive Common Stock is LINTA, and Series A Liberty Starz Common Stock is LSTZA.

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