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### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of

(Print or Type Responses)	)																
Name and Address of Reporting Person   TANABE CHARLES Y			-	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol LIBERTY MEDIA CORP [LCAPA]							Director						
(Last) (First) (Middle) 12300 LIBERTY BLVD.				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/21/2010						X_Officer (give title below	X_Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)  Executive Vice President						
12000 EIBERT I BE	(Street	)				te Original	Filed(Mont	th/Day	y/Year)			6. Individual or Joint/Gr	roup Filing(Chec	ek Applicable Li	ne)		
ENGLEWOOD, CO 80112				4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)							_X_ Form filed by One Report	_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(State)	)	(Zip)				Table	I - N	Non-Deri	vative Sec	urities A	Acquired, Disposed of, or Be	neficially Owi	ned			
(Instr. 3) Date			2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Yea	(Month/Day/Year)		v	Di (Ir	4. Securities Acquired (A) of Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)  Amount (A) or (D) Price			Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		Or Fo Di or (I)	vnership rm: rect (D) Indirect str. 4)	7. Natu Indirect Benefi Owner (Instr.	et cial ship	
Series A Liberty Cap	oital Commo	n Stock	12/21/2010			G <sup>(1)</sup>		15	53 (2)	D	\$ 0	0		I		By S <sub>l</sub>	ouse
Series A Liberty Cap	oital Commo	n Stock										69,245		D			
Series A Liberty Cap	oital Commo	n Stock										905 (3)	905 (3)			By 40 Savin	01(k) igs Plan
Series A Liberty Inte	eractive Com	mon Stock	12/21/2010			G <sup>(1)</sup>		76	67 <sup>(2)</sup>	D	\$ 0	0	0			By S <sub>l</sub>	ouse
Series A Liberty Inte	eractive Com	mon Stock										107,696		D			
Series A Liberty Inte	eractive Com	mon Stock										7,973 <sup>(3)</sup>		I		By 401(k Plan	()Savings
Series A Liberty Star	rz Common S	Stock	12/21/2010			G <sup>(1)</sup>		61	1 (2)	D	\$ 0	0		I		By S <sub>l</sub>	ouse
Series A Liberty Star	rz Common S	Stock										9,125 I		D			
Series A Liberty Star	rz Common S	Stock										448 (3)				By 40 Savin	01(k) igs Plan
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Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	r Exercise Date (Month/Day/Year) a Derivative	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	if Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number Derivative Acquired (A Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4,	Securities A) or f(D)	3	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		e Ui	itle and Amount of B. Price of Iderlying Securities tr. 3 and 4) Security (Instr. 5)		9. Number Derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned	Ow For Der Sec	m of ivative urity:	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				C	ode V	(A)	(D)		Date Exercisa	Expira able Date	ation Ti	Amount or Number of Shares		Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	or I	ect (D) ndirect str. 4)	
Reporting Ov	wners		Relationships														

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Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
TANABE CHARLES Y 12300 LIBERTY BLVD. ENGLEWOOD, CO 80112			Executive Vice President				

# **Signatures**

/s/ Charles Y. Tanabe	12/23/2010
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 is voluntarily reporting this transaction early on a Form 4, which transaction occurred on December 21, 2010.
- (2) The shares disposed of in this transaction were contributed by the Reporting Person's spouse to the Schwab Charitable Fund. The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares which were previously reported as owned by his spouse.
- (3) The number of shares reported as held in the reporting person's 401(k) is based on a plan statement from the Plan Administrator for the Issuer's 401(k) Savings Plan dated as of November 30, 2010.

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.

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

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