AMC Networks Inc. Form 4 October 14, 2016

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(Last)

(City)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Carroll Edward A

(Street)

(State)

(Zip)

(First) (Middle)

11 PENN PLAZA

NEW YORK, NY 10001

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

AMC Networks Inc. [AMCX]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 10/13/2016

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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Director 10% Owner Other (specify X_ Officer (give title

> below) Chief Operating Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Code Disposed of (D) Beneficially (D) or Indirect Beneficial (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Ownership (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned (T) Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported

(A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

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 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 4. 5. Number of 6. Date Exercisable and 7. Title and Amount of Derivative Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if **Transaction**Derivative **Expiration Date Underlying Securities** Security or Exercise any Code Securities (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)					
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number Shares
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(1)</u>	10/13/2016		A	242,813		<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	AMC Networks Inc. Class A Common Stock	242,81
Restricted Stock Units	(2)	10/13/2016		A	1,457		(3)	03/04/2019	AMC Networks Inc. Class A Common Stock	1,457

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
• 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Carroll Edward A							
11 PENN PLAZA			Chief Operating Officer				

Signatures

NEW YORK, NY 10001

/s/ Anne G. Kelly, Attorney-in-fact for Edward A.

Carroll

**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 Restricted Stock Units will vest on December 31, 2021 and will be settled by delivery of shares of the Issuer's Class A Common Stock upon vesting.
- (2) Each restricted stock unit is granted under the AMC Networks Inc. 2016 Employee Stock Plan and represents a right to receive one share of Class A Common stock or the cash equivalent thereof.
- (3) The RSUs are scheduled to vest in three equal installments on March 4, 2017, March 4, 2018, and March 4, 2019, subject to the achievement of certain performance measures.

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