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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Ad MALONE JO	•	ting Person *	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol LIBERTY MEDIA CORP /DE/ [L;	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
			LMC.B]	(Sheek all applicable)			
(Last) 12300 LIBEF	(First) RTY BLVD.	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/16/2005	X DirectorX 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chairman			
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
ENGLEWOO	DD, CO 8011	12	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
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(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	le I - Non-I	Derivative S	Securi	ties Acq	quired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acc Transaction(A) or Disposed Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5 (Instr. 8)			of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Series B Common Stock	05/16/2005		P	82,900	A	\$ 10.9	103,785,629	D	
Series B Common Stock							3,409,436	I	By spouse (1)
Series A Common Stock							13,538,345	D	
Series A Common							1,505,043	I	By spouse

Stock

Series A

Common 3,300 I By trust $\underline{^{(2)}}$ Stock

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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. Transa Code (Instr.	8)	5. Sinumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	7. Titi Amou Under Secur (Instr	int of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
				Code	v	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
MALONE JOHN C								
12300 LIBERTY BLVD.	X	X	Chairman					
ENGLEWOOD, CO 80112								

Signatures

/s/ Charles Y. Tanabe, Attorney-in-fact 05/16/2005

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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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) Held by a trust of which the Reporting Person is sole trustee and, with his wife, retains a unitrust interest in the trust.
 - The number of shares represents equivalent shares based on the fair market value of the shares of Series A common stock held by the unitized stock fund under the Issuer's 401(k) Savings Plan based on a report from the Plan Administrator dated April 30, 2005. The
- (3) Reporting Person has an interest in the unitized fund, which holds shares of the Issuer's Series A common stock and short-term investments.

Remarks:

The Reporting Person previously reported the indirect beneficial ownership of an aggregate of 800,000 shares of Series A co. Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.