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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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Form 4 or

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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, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

(Last)

(City)

Common

Common

Stock

Stock

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * CHRISTIANSON TONY

> (First) (Middle)

C/O DOLAN MEDIA COMPANY, 706 SECOND **AVENUE SOUTH, SUITE 1200**

MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55402

(Street)

(Zip)

(State)

08/07/2007

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Dolan Media CO [DM]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/07/2007

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

_X__ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

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

(Instr. 3 and 4) Price Amount (D)

Code V

53,426 \mathbf{C}

Α (2)

290,036 (1)

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By Media Power Limited

Partnership

By Cherry Tree

Ventures IV 883,998 (1) I

Limited Partnership

(4)

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(Instr. 3, 4, and 5) (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Series C Participating Convertible Preferred Stock	(2)	08/07/2007		С	400	<u>(2)</u>	<u>(2)</u>	Common Stock	53,426 (1)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

CHRISTIANSON TONY C/O DOLAN MEDIA COMPANY 706 SECOND AVENUE SOUTH, SUITE 1200 MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55402



Signatures

/s/ Tony

Christianson 08/09/2007

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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) Reflects a 9 for 1 stock split, which the Issuer effected on August 7, 2007 through a dividend of 8 shares of its common stock for each share of its common stock outstanding immediately prior to consummation of the Issuer?s initial public offering.

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- (2) The series C participating convertible preferred stock converted into the Issuer?s common stock on approximately a 1 to 14.84 basis upon consummation of the Issuer?s initial public offering, and had no expiration date.
- The reporting person is the chairman of the general partner of Media Power Limited Partnership. The reporting person disclaims (3) beneficial ownership of these securities except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein, and the filing of this report is not an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of these securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
- The reporting person is a managing partner of the general partner of Cherry Tree Ventures IV Limited Partnership. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein, and the filing of this report is not an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of these securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.

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