

Dolan James P
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 Dolan James P

 (Last) (First) (Middle)
 C/O THE DOLAN COMPANY, 222
 SOUTH NINTH STREET, SUITE
 2300

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 Dolan Co. [NYSE: DM]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
 01/31/2013

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

 (Check all applicable)
 Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
 Chairman, CEO and President

(Street)

 MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55402

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
8.5% Series B Cumulative Preferred Stock ⁽¹⁾	01/31/2013		P	4,300 A	\$ 23 4,300	D	

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu...
				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
Dolan James P C/O THE DOLAN COMPANY 222 SOUTH NINTH STREET, SUITE 2300 MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55402	X		Chairman, CEO and President	

Signatures

Kelly Jacobus, as Attorney-in-Fact for James P. Dolan

 **Signature of Reporting Person

02/04/2013

 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 8.5% Series B Cumulative Preferred Stock is convertible into shares of the Company's common stock under the following circumstances: (i) a person, syndicate or group acquires beneficial ownership of more than 50% of the total voting power of the Company's capital stock entitled to vote generally in elections of directors, and (ii) following the closing of such transaction, neither the Company nor the acquiring or surviving entity has a class of common securities (or American Depositary Receipts representing such securities) listed on the NYSE, the NYSE MKT, Nasdaq, or any exchange or quotation system that is a successor to any of the foregoing. In these circumstances, the 8.5% Series B Cumulative Preferred Stock is convertible into a number of common shares of the Company equal to the lesser of (a) the quotient obtained by dividing (1) the \$25.00 liquidation preference plus the amount of any accrued and unpaid distributions by (2) the price of the common stock, and (b) 14.285.

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