

Rapino Michael
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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 *
Rapino Michael

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O LIVE NATION, INC., 9348
CIVIC CENTER DRIVE

(Street)

BEVERLY HILLS, CA 90210

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
Live Nation, Inc. [LYV]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
03/17/2009

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
President & CEO

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 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) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| | | | Code | V | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price |
| Common Stock | 03/17/2009 | | A | | 100,000 | A | \$ 0 <u>(1)</u> <u>(4)</u> |
| Common Stock | 03/17/2009 | | A | | 50,000 | A | \$ 0 <u>(2)</u> <u>(4)</u> |

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) | | |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|--------------|----------------------|
| | | | | Code | V (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount Number Shares |
| Stock Option (buy) | \$ 2.75 | 03/17/2009 | | A | 2,000,000 | <u>(3)</u> | 03/17/2019 | Common Stock | 2,000,000 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|-----------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Rapino Michael C/O LIVE NATION, INC. 9348 CIVIC CENTER DRIVE BEVERLY HILLS, CA 90210 | X | | President & CEO | |

Signatures

Kathy Willard, Attorney-in-Fact for Michael Rapino
Date: 03/19/2009

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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(1) Item represents a restricted stock award. If certain financial performance targets specified by the Company's Compensation Committee are achieved for the year of the grant, up to 50% of the award will vest on March 31st of the first year following the grant and up to the remaining 50% will vest on March 31st of the second year following the grant.

(2) Item represents a restricted stock award. If certain management objectives specified by the Company's Compensation Committee are satisfied prior to March 31st of the second year following the grant, then 50% of the award will vest immediately upon the satisfaction of such objectives and the remaining 50% will vest on March 31st of the second year following the grant. If such objectives are not met prior to March 31st of the second year following the grant, then 100% of the award will vest immediately upon the satisfaction of such objectives.

(3) Only vested shares may be exercised. These options will vest in five equal annual installments on the first, second, third, fourth, and fifth anniversaries of the grant date.

(4) Reporting person received the award under the Live Nation, Inc. 2005 Stock Incentive Plan.

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