

Wymbs Christian B.  
Form 4  
March 12, 2018

**FORM 4**

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

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF  
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Wymbs Christian B.

(Last) (First) (Middle)

11 PENN PLAZA

(Street)

NEW YORK, NY 10001

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
AMC Networks Inc. [AMCX]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
03/09/2018

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_\_\_X\_\_\_\_ Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)

EVP &amp; Chief Accounting Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  
Applicable Line)  
\_\_\_\_X\_\_\_\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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Person

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

| 1. Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3)              | 2. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired<br>(A) or Disposed of (D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or<br>Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
|----------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|
| AMC<br>Networks<br>Inc. Class<br>A Common<br>Stock | 03/09/2018                              |                                                             | M                                    | 1,376 A                                                                 | \$ 0 <sup>(1)</sup> 6,523                                                                                          | D                                                                    |                                                                   |
| AMC<br>Networks<br>Inc. Class<br>A Common<br>Stock | 03/09/2018                              |                                                             | F <sup>(2)</sup>                     | 431 D                                                                   | \$ 52.86 6,092                                                                                                     | 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<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 5. Number of<br>Derivative<br>Securities<br>Acquired (A) or<br>Disposed of (D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4, and<br>5) | 6. Date Exercisable and<br>Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) |     | 7. Title and Amount of<br>Underlying Securities<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |                    |                                                       |                                        |
|-----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------|-----|---------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------|-------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|
|                                                     |                                                                    |                                         |                                                             | Code                                 | V                                                                                                         | (A)                                                            | (D) | Date<br>Exercisable                                                 | Expiration<br>Date | Title                                                 | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares |
| Restricted<br>Stock<br>Units                        | (3)                                                                | 03/09/2018                              |                                                             | A                                    |                                                                                                           | 4,594                                                          |     | (4)                                                                 | 03/09/2021         | AMC<br>Networks<br>Inc. Class<br>A<br>Common<br>Stock | 4,594                                  |
| Restricted<br>Stock<br>Units                        | (1)                                                                | 03/09/2018                              |                                                             | M                                    |                                                                                                           | 1,376                                                          |     | (1)                                                                 | 03/09/2020         | AMC<br>Networks<br>Inc. Class<br>A<br>Common<br>Stock | 1,376                                  |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                            | Relationships |           |                                |       |
|-----------------------------------------------------------|---------------|-----------|--------------------------------|-------|
|                                                           | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                        | Other |
| Wymbs Christian B.<br>11 PENN PLAZA<br>NEW YORK, NY 10001 |               |           | EVP & Chief Accounting Officer |       |

## Signatures

/s/ Anne G. Kelly, Attorney-in-Fact for Christian B.  
Wymbs

03/12/2018

                     \*\*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).

- Each restricted stock unit ("RSU") was granted on March 9, 2017 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. One-third of the RSUs vested and were settled on March 9, 2018. The remaining two-thirds of the RSUs vest as follows: one-third on March 9, 2019 and one-third on March 9, 2020 subject to the achievement of certain performance measures.
- (1)
  - (2) Represents RSUs of AMC Networks Inc. withheld to satisfy tax withholding obligations in connection with the vesting of RSUs described in footnote 1 above.
  - (3) 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.
  - (4) The RSUs are scheduled to vest in three equal installments on March 9, 2019, March 9, 2020 and March 9, 2021, subject to the achievement of certain performance measures.

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