

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
MALONE JOHN C

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol
Discovery Communications, Inc.
[DISCA]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

ONE DISCOVERY PLACE

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
12/05/2008

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

SILVER SPRING, MD 20910

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)
☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person
☐ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D) Price			
Series C common stock	12/05/2008		S		60,000	D \$ <u>12.57</u> ⁽¹⁾	6,169,351	D	
Series C common stock							438,808	I	By Spouse <u>(2)</u>
Series C common stock							165	I	By Trust <u>(3)</u>
Series C common							553,174	I	By Trust <u>(3)</u>

stock

Series A common stock	12/05/2008	P	60,000	A	\$ 13.19 (4)	60,165	I	By Trust (3)
Series A common stock						306,331	D	
Series A common stock						268,337	I	By Spouse (2)
Series A common stock						553,174	I	By Trust (3)

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 Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				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 ONE DISCOVERY PLACE SILVER SPRING, MD 20910	X	X		

Signatures

/s/ Joseph A. LaSala, Jr., by power of
attorney

12/09/2008

__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).

The price reported represents the weighted average sales price of shares of Series C common stock sold in multiple transactions at prices
(1) ranging from \$12.31 to \$13.09 per share. The reporting person will provide to the issuer, any security holder of the issuer, or the SEC staff, upon request, information regarding the number of shares sold at each price within the range.
(2) The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares owned by his spouse.
(3) The Reporting Person is the sole trustee of, and with his spouse, retains a unitrust interest in the trust.

The price reported represents the weighted average purchase price of shares of Series A common stock purchased in multiple transactions
(4) at prices ranging from \$12.80 to \$13.75 per share. The reporting person will provide to the issuer, any security holder of the issuer, or the SEC staff, upon request, information regarding the number of shares sold at each price within the range.

Remarks:

The trading symbols for the Issuer's Series A, Series B and Series C common stock are, respectively, DISCA, DISCB and DIS

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