LIBERTY MEDIA CORP /DE/

Form 4

January 02, 2003

FORM 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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			6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *			(Check all applicable) _ Director
Malone GRAT #1 c/o David Thomas III, Sherman & Howard L.L.C.			<u>X</u> 10% Owner
(Last) (First) (Middle)	Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	4. Statement for (Month/Day/Year)	_ Officer (give title below)
633 17th Street	Liberty Media Corporation L, LMC.B	December 31, 2002	_ Other (specify below)
Suite 3000 (Street)			Chairman of the Board
Denver, CO 80202 (City) (State) (Zip)	3. I.R.S. Identification Number of Reporting Person, if an entity (voluntary)	5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Day/Year)	7. 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 Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/	Execution		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	Owned Following Reported	Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
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Series B Common Stock	12/31/02	J(1)	V	16,300,037	D(1)	\$8.98	8,699,963(1)(2)	D	
		Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned
(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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Derivative Security	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	Transaction Date (Month/Day/	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/ Year)	Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date		Amount or Number of Shares	8. Price of Derivative	Following Reported Transaction(s)	or Indirect (I)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
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(1) On December 31, 2002, the Reporting Person distributed to Dr. John Malone, as an annuity payment, 16,300,037 shares of Series B Common Stock, representing \$146,374,332 in market value (based on the average of the high and the low sale price of such shares on December 31, 2002). The transfer of Series B Common Stock by the Reporting Person to Dr. Malone may be deemed to be a change in the form of beneficial ownership of the transferred shares by Dr. Malone. (2) Pursuant to a call agreement between the Issuer and Dr. John Malone and his spouse, the Issuer has the right, under certain circumstances, to acquire Series B Common Stock owned by Dr. Malone and his spouse and their permitted transferees. The shares owned by the Reporting Person are subject to that right.

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/s/ Malone GRAT #1 by David Thomas III, Trustee	1/2/03
** Signature of Reporting Person	Date
Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.	
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