#### **BARNES & NOBLE INC**

Form 4

September 27, 2011

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* Liberty Interactive Corp

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

BARNES & NOBLE INC [BKS]

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(City)

1.Title of

Security

(Instr. 3)

(First)

(Middle)

(Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Director

10% Owner

12300 LIBERTY BOULEVARD

(Month/Day/Year) 09/23/2011

Officer (give title below)

Other (specify

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

(Street)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Form filed by More than One Reporting

(Instr. 4)

Person

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

ENGLEWOOD, CO 80112

(State) 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

4. Securities (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership

Following Reported (A)

Transaction(s)

or Code V Amount (D) Price

(Instr. 3 and 4)

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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(Instr. 4)

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

1. Title of Derivative Conversion Security or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if

5. Number of 4 **TransactionDerivative** Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amo Underlying Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)

(Instr. 3) Price of (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or

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Security (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) Code V (A) (D) Date Exercisable Expiration Date Title Aı Sh Series J Common 12  $J^{(2)}$ 204,000 10/28/2011(1) 08/18/2021(3) Preferred 09/23/2011 (1) Stock

Disposed of (D)

# **Reporting Owners**

Derivative

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Liberty Interactive Corp				
12300 LIBERTY BOULEVARD		X		
ENGLEWOOD, CO 80112				

# **Signatures**

Stock

LIBERTY INTERACTIVE CORPORATION By: /s/ Craig Troyer, Vice President

09/27/2011 Date

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

# **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 Series J Preferred Stock is convertible into shares of common stock at any time following the Issuer's 2011 annual meeting of stockholders, which is scheduled to occur on October 28, 2011, at a conversion rate determined in accordance with the provisions of the Certificate of Designations for the Series J Preferred Stock and subject to customary antidilution adjustment provisions. The initial conversion rate is 58.8235 shares of common stock for each share of Series J Preferred Stock.
- On September 23, 2011, the Reporting Person completed its previously announced redemption (the "Split-Off") of all of the outstanding shares of two of its tracking stocks, Liberty Capital and Liberty Starz, for shares of new tracking stocks of Liberty Media Corporation, a Delaware corporation (formerly known as Liberty CapStarz, Inc., "New Liberty"). In connection with the Split-Off, the Reporting Person's beneficial ownership of the Series J Preferred Stock was transferred to New Liberty.
- (3) The Series J Preferred Stock is mandatorily redeemable on the tenth anniversary of the original issuance date.
- (4) The shares of Series J Preferred Stock were held directly by Liberty GIC, Inc., which was an indirect wholly owned subsidiary of the Reporting Person prior to the Split-Off.

#### **Remarks:**

On September 22, 2011, the Reporting Person changed its name from "Liberty Media Corporation" to "Liberty Interactive Cor Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.

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