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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Dolan Co. [NYSE: DM]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Fine Lauren Rich

(First) (Last)

(Middle)

(Zip)

(Month/Day/Year)

05/17/2011

Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

X_ Director 10% Owner

Officer (give title Other (specify below)

C/O THE DOLAN COMPANY, 222 SOUTH NINTH STREET, SUITE 2300

(State)

05/17/2011

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

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

MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55402

(City)

Common

Stock

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

Transaction(s)

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)

D

Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

or Code V Amount

(Instr. 3 and 4) Price

(D) A

4.523 \$0 16,816 (1)

(A)

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)

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1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exer	cisable and	7. Title	and	8. Price of	9. Nu
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					4, and 5)						
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									Amount		
						Date			or		
						Exercisable		Title Number of			
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Fine Lauren Rich C/O THE DOLAN COMPANY 222 SOUTH NINTH STREET, SUITE 2300 MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55402

Signatures

/s/ Kelly Jacobus, as attorney-in-fact for Lauren Rich Fine.

05/19/2011

**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).

X

These are restricted shares of common stock issued under the Issuer's 2007 Incentive Compensation Plan (as amended and restated). 25%

of the shares vested on the date of the award, and the remaining 75% of the shares will vest in three equal annual installments on each of May 17, 2012, 2013, and 2014.

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