ROSENTHALER ALBERT E

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

1(b).

Common

Stock

09/17/2008

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * ROSENTHALER ALBERT E			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol				g	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
	Discovery Holding CO [DISCA]					(Check all applicable)					
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction								
12300 LIBERTY BLVD.			(Month/Day/Year) 09/17/2008				Director 10% Owner Senior Vice President Other (specify below)				
	4. If Amendment, Date Original					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check					
			Filed(Mon	Filed(Month/Day/Year)				Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
ENGLEWOOD, CO 80112								Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Securi	ties Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned	
1.Title of	2. Transaction Da	te 2A. De	emed	3.	4. Securi	ties		5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature of	
Security	(Month/Day/Year) Executi	ion Date, if	Transactio	onAcquired	l (A) o	r	Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect	
(Instr. 3)		any		Code	Disposed	l of (D)	Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial	
		(Month	/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3,	4 and	5)	Owned Following	Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)	
						(A)		Reported Transaction(s)			
						or		(Instr. 3 and 4)			
				Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(
Series A										By 401(k)	

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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Savings

Plan

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E S	Title of Perivative ecurity nstr. 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. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day/	ate	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		3 (
					Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
(i	tock Option right to uy)	\$ 13	09/17/2008		D	5,000	(3)	07/31/2013	Series A Common Stock	5,000	
(1	tock Option right to uy)	\$ 11.84	09/17/2008		D	10,000	<u>(5)</u>	08/06/2014	Series A Common Stock	10,000	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

ROSENTHALER ALBERT E 12300 LIBERTY BLVD. ENGLEWOOD, CO 80112

Senior Vice President

Signatures

/s/ Albert E. Rosenthaler 09/18/2008

**Signature of Reporting 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 number of shares represents equivalent shares based on the fair market value of the shares of the Issuer's Series A common stock held by a unitized stock fund under the Liberty Media Corporation 401(k) Savings Plan based on a report from the Plan Administrator dated August 29, 2008. The Reporting Person has an interest in the unitized fund, which holds shares of the Issuer's Series A common stock and short-term investments.
- On September 17, 2008, the Issuer merged (the "Merger") with and into a wholly owned subsidiary of a new public holding company ("New Discovery"), which was a wholly owned subsidiary of the Issuer prior to the Merger. In the Merger, the Reporting Person disposed of each share of the Issuer's Series A common stock held at the time of the Merger in exchange for 0.50 of a share of Series A common stock of New Discovery plus 0.50 of a share of Series C common stock of New Discovery.
- (3) The option was 100% vested
- In the Merger, the Reporting Person disposed of the option in exchange for a stock appreciation right relating to shares of New Discovery (4) Series A common stock and a stock appreciation right relating to shares of New Discovery Series C common stock, in each case, at base

(4) Series A common stock and a stock appreciation right relating to shares of New Discovery Series C common stock, in each case, at base prices to be calculated as described in the proxy statement/prospectus filed by the Issuer with the SEC on August 6, 2008.

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(5) The option provided for vesting as to 20% of the total number of shares on each August 6th, beginning August 6, 2005.

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