

HEMISPHERE MEDIA GROUP, INC.

Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Sokol Alan J.

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
HEMISPHERE MEDIA GROUP, INC. [HMTV]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
11/10/2016

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
CEO, President

C/O HEMISPHERE MEDIA GROUP, INC., 4000 PONCE DE LEON BLVD, SUITE 650

(Street)

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

CORAL GABLES, FL 33146

(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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Class A Common Stock	11/10/2016		A		175,000 (1)	A	\$ 0
					776,091	(2)	D

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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount
EMPLOYEE STOCK OPTION (RIGHT TO BUY)	\$ 11.9	11/10/2016		A	300,000 (3)	(4) 11/10/2026		Class A Common Stock	300,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Sokol Alan J. C/O HEMISPHERE MEDIA GROUP, INC. 4000 PONCE DE LEON BLVD, SUITE 650 CORAL GABLES, FL 33146	X		CEO, President	

Signatures

/s/ Alan J. Sokol 11/15/2016

**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).
- (1) Represents restricted shares of Class A common stock, par value \$0.0001 per share ("Class A common stock"), granted pursuant to the Hemisphere Media Group, Inc. Amended and Restated 2013 Equity Incentive Plan (the "Equity Plan"). The restricted stock will vest, subject to certain exceptions, in equal annual installments on each of the first three (3) anniversaries of April 5, 2016 (the "Effective Date").
- (2) Of these shares, 100,000 are restricted securities which will vest upon the fair market value of the Class A common stock price reaching or exceeding \$15.00 per share on at least ten trading days (which need not be consecutive) following April 4, 2013.
- (3) Represents options to purchase shares of Class A common stock granted pursuant to the Equity Plan.
- (4) The employee stock options will vest, subject to certain exceptions, in equal annual installments on each of the first three (3) anniversaries of the Effective Date.
- (5) Of these stock options, 250,000 options will vest upon the fair market value of the Class A common stock price reaching or exceeding \$15.00 per share on at least ten trading days (which need not be consecutive) following April 4, 2013.

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