MALONE JOHN C Form 3 January 26, 2010 FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549 OMB APPROVAL OMB Number: 3235-0104

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> MALONE JOHN C	2. Date of Event RequiringStatement(Month/Day/Year)	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Ascent Media CORP [ASCMA]			
(Last) (First) (Middle)	01/22/2010	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer	5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)		
LIBERTY MEDIA CORPORATION, 12300 LIBERTY BLVD.	ORATION, 12300 TY BLVD. (Street)	(Check all applicable) X Director X 10% Own	er.		
(Street)		OfficerOther (give title below) (specify below)	 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person 		
ENGLEWOOD, CO 80112					
(City) (State) (Zip)	Table I - N	Non-Derivative Securities H	Beneficially Owned		
1.Title of Security	2. Amount of	f Securities 3. 4. N	Nature of Indirect Beneficial		

(Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	5. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Series A Common Stock	30,630	D	Â
Series A Common Stock	55,317	Ι	By Charitable Remainder Trust (June 2003 CRT)
Series A Common Stock	16	Ι	By Charitable Remainder Trust (1997 CRT)
Series A Common Stock	1	Ι	By IRA Account
Series A Common Stock	26,833	Ι	By Wife
Series A Common Stock	570	Ι	By Trust for Daughter
Series A Common Stock	2,000	Ι	By Trust for Son
Series B Common Stock	592,301	D	Â
Series B Common Stock	17,046	Ι	By Wife

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Series B Common Stock	3,882	Ι	By Trust for Daughter
Series B Common Stock	5,296	Ι	By Trust for Son

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

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

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security		4. Conversion or Exercise	5. Ownership Form of	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	(Instr. 4) Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivative Security	Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
MALONE JOHN C LIBERTY MEDIA CORPORATION 12300 LIBERTY BLVD. ENGLEWOOD, CO 80112	ÂX	ÂX	Â	Â		
Signatures						
/s/ Sharon L. Meymarian, attorney-in-fact	01	1/26/2010				
**Signature of Reporting Person		Date				

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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).

Â **Remarks:**

Exhibit List: Exhibit 24 - Power of Attorney

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