

DECHERD ROBERT W
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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 *
DECHERD ROBERT W

(Last) (First) (Middle)

**A. H. BELO CORPORATION, P.O.
BOX 224866**

(Street)

DALLAS, TX 75222-4866

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
A. H. Belo CORP [AHC]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
02/25/2011

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

Chairman, President & CEO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

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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		
Series A Common Stock	02/25/2011		M		61,389 (1)	A	(2) 155,729 D
Series A Common Stock	02/25/2011		D	(3)	24,556 (3)	D	\$ 7.69 131,173 D
Series A Common Stock							240 I By Spouse (4)
Series A Common Stock							1,093 I By 401k (5)

Stock

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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date		
Restricted Stock Units (Time-Based) (6)	(2)	02/25/2011		M	61,389	(7)	(7)	Series A Common Stock	61,389 (2)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
DECHERD ROBERT W A. H. BELO CORPORATION P.O. BOX 224866 DALLAS, TX 75222-4866	X		Chairman, President & CEO	

Signatures

Kay F. Stockler,
Attorney-In-Fact

02/28/2011

__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).
- (1) The number of shares shown represents the time-based restricted stock units (TBRUs) that vested and were paid on February 25, 2011. These TBRUs were awarded on January 28, 2010.
- (2) Each TBRU represents a contingent right to receive the value of one share of A. H. Belo Corporation Series A Common Stock. TBRUs are valued as of the date of vesting and are paid 60% in shares of A. H. Belo Corporation Series A Stock and 40% in cash.

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- (3) The number of shares shown represents settlement of the 40% cash portion of TBRsUs that vested and were paid on February 25, 2011. Pursuant to SEC guidance settlement of the cash portion is deemed a disposition of shares to the Company.
- (4) The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities.
- (5) Held by the A. H. Belo Savings Plan as of February 25, 2011.
- (6) These TBRsUs were awarded on January 28, 2010.

- Vesting of the January 28, 2010 award is as follows: 40% of the award vested on February 25, 2011, the third trading day following the annual earnings release date for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2010; the remainder of the award will vest 30% on the third trading day following each annual earnings release date for the fiscal years ending December 31, 2011 and 2012. Each tranche is settled within 10 business days after vesting.
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