

Discovery Holding CO  
 Form 4  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
 ROSENTHALER ALBERT E

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 12300 LIBERTY BLVD.  
 (Street)

ENGLEWOOD, CO 80112

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 Discovery Holding CO [DISC]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
 (Month/Day/Year)  
 09/26/2007

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)  
 Senior Vice President

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 or Price   |  |                                   |
| Series A Common Stock           | 09/26/2007                           |  | M                              |   | 51,280 A \$ 14.74   | 51,280   | D                                 |
| Series A Common Stock           | 09/26/2007                           |  | M                              |   | 20,000 A \$ 13  | 71,280   | D                                 |
| Series A Common Stock           | 09/26/2007                           |  | M                              |   | 15,000 A \$ 11.84   | 86,280   | D                                 |
| Series A Common                 | 09/26/2007                           |  | S                              |   | 700 D \$ 27.99  | 85,580   | D                                 |

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|-----------------------------|------------|---|-------|---|--------------|--------|--|---|
| Stock                       |            |   |       |   |              |        |  |   |
| Series A<br>Common<br>Stock | 09/26/2007 | S | 100   | D | \$<br>27.985 | 85,480 |  | D |
| Series A<br>Common<br>Stock | 09/26/2007 | S | 1,500 | D | \$ 27.98     | 83,980 |  | D |
| Series A<br>Common<br>Stock | 09/26/2007 | S | 1,203 | D | \$ 27.97     | 82,777 |  | D |
| Series A<br>Common<br>Stock | 09/26/2007 | S | 1,800 | D | \$ 27.96     | 80,977 |  | D |
| Series A<br>Common<br>Stock | 09/26/2007 | S | 2,900 | D | \$ 27.94     | 78,077 |  | D |
| Series A<br>Common<br>Stock | 09/26/2007 | S | 200   | D | \$<br>27.935 | 77,877 |  | D |
| Series A<br>Common<br>Stock | 09/26/2007 | S | 1,109 | D | \$ 27.92     | 76,768 |  | D |
| Series A<br>Common<br>Stock | 09/26/2007 | S | 3,285 | D | \$ 27.91     | 73,483 |  | D |
| Series A<br>Common<br>Stock | 09/26/2007 | S | 600   | D | \$ 27.9      | 72,883 |  | D |
| Series A<br>Common<br>Stock | 09/26/2007 | S | 100   | D | \$ 27.89     | 72,783 |  | D |
| Series A<br>Common<br>Stock | 09/26/2007 | S | 900   | D | \$ 27.88     | 71,883 |  | D |
| Series A<br>Common<br>Stock | 09/26/2007 | S | 427   | D | \$ 27.87     | 71,456 |  | D |
| Series A<br>Common<br>Stock | 09/26/2007 | S | 1,149 | D | \$ 27.86     | 70,307 |  | D |
| Series A<br>Common<br>Stock | 09/26/2007 | S | 2,224 | D | \$ 27.85     | 68,083 |  | D |

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|-----------------------------|------------|---|--------|---|--------------|--------------------|---|------------------------------|
| Series A<br>Common<br>Stock | 09/26/2007 | S | 1,000  | D | \$<br>27.845 | 67,083             | D |                              |
| Series A<br>Common<br>Stock | 09/26/2007 | S | 2,400  | D | \$ 27.84     | 64,683             | D |                              |
| Series A<br>Common<br>Stock | 09/26/2007 | S | 2,128  | D | \$ 27.83     | 62,555             | D |                              |
| Series A<br>Common<br>Stock | 09/26/2007 | S | 900    | D | \$<br>27.825 | 61,655             | D |                              |
| Series A<br>Common<br>Stock | 09/26/2007 | S | 4,100  | D | \$ 27.82     | 57,555             | D |                              |
| Series A<br>Common<br>Stock | 09/26/2007 | S | 300    | D | \$<br>27.815 | 57,255             | D |                              |
| Series A<br>Common<br>Stock | 09/26/2007 | S | 9,019  | D | \$ 27.81     | 48,236             | D |                              |
| Series A<br>Common<br>Stock | 09/26/2007 | S | 200    | D | \$<br>27.805 | 48,036             | D |                              |
| Series A<br>Common<br>Stock | 09/26/2007 | S | 20,720 | D | \$ 27.8      | 27,316             | D |                              |
| Series A<br>Common<br>Stock | 09/26/2007 | S | 4,000  | D | \$<br>27.795 | 23,316             | D |                              |
| Series A<br>Common<br>Stock | 09/26/2007 | S | 9,734  | D | \$ 27.79     | 13,582             | D |                              |
| Series A<br>Common<br>Stock |            |   |        |   |              | 560 <sup>(1)</sup> | I | By 401(k)<br>Savings<br>Plan |

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 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) | 8. Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|-------------------------------|
| Stock Option (right to buy)                | \$ 14.74   | 09/26/2007                           |  | M                              | 51,280  | <sup>(2)</sup> 03/01/2012                                | Series A Common Stock   | 51,280                        |
| Stock Option (right to buy)                | \$ 13  | 09/26/2007                           |  | M                              | 20,000  | <sup>(3)</sup> 07/31/2013                                | Series A Common Stock   | 20,000                        |
| Stock option (right to buy)                | \$ 11.84   | 09/26/2007                           |  | M                              | 15,000  | <sup>(4)</sup> 08/06/2014                                | Series A Common Stock   | 15,000                        |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                     | Relationships |           |                       |       |
|--|---------------|-----------|-----------------------|-------|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer               | Other |
| ROSENTHALER ALBERT E<br>12300 LIBERTY BLVD.<br>ENGLEWOOD, CO 80112 |               |           | Senior Vice President |       |

## Signatures

/s/ Albert E. Rosenthaler  
 09/28/2007  
 \*\*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 represents equivalent shares based on the fair market value of the shares of the Issuer's Series A common stock held by the unitized stock fund under the Liberty Media Corporation 401(k) Savings Plan based on a report from the Plan Administrator dated as of August 31, 2007. 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.
- (2) The option vested as to 25% on March 1, 2004, 2005, 2006, and 2007.
- (3) The option vests as to 20% on July 31, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, and 2008.

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(4) The option vests as to 20% on August 6, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008 and 2009.

### **Remarks:**

The trading symbols for the Issuer's Series A and Series B Common Stock are DISCA and DISCB, respectively.

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