DECHERD ROBERT W

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See Instruction 1(b).

Stock

Series A

Common

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

DECHERD ROBERT W				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol A. H. Belo CORP [AHC]				g	Issuer			
(Last) (First) (Middle) A. H. BELO CORPORATION, P.O. BOX 224866				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/29/2012					(Check all applicable) _X_ Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chairman, President & CEO			
(Street)				4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
	DALLAS, T	X 75222-4866							Person	More than One Re	eporting	
	(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative S	ecuri	ties Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
	1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction D (Month/Day/Yea	r) Execution	med on Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securition(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4	sposed	of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
	Series A				Code V	Amount	(D)	Price \$	(Instr. 3 and 4)			
	Common Stock	05/29/2012			P	10,000	A	4.03	323,631	D		
	Series A Common Stock	05/31/2012			P	3,000	A	\$ 4 (4)	326,631	D		
	Series A Common								240	I	By Spouse	

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Account

1,093

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(3) 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. Transac Code (Instr. 8	5. stionNumber of S) Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	S !	ate	7. Titl Amou Under Securi (Instr.	nt of lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Kelationships							
	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

Christine Larkin, 05/31/2012 Attorney-in-Fact

**Signature of Reporting Person

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).
- Represents the average purchase price per share. Shares purchased in the open market on May 29, 2012 as follows: 200 shares @ \$4.00 per share; 1,300 shares @ \$4.01 per share; 100 shares @ \$4.0125 per share; 100 shares @ \$4.015 per share; 2,675 shares @ \$4.02 per **(1)** share; 1,600 shares @ \$4.03 per share; 1,400 shares @ 4.04 per share; 300 shares @ \$4.0425 per share; and 2,325 shares @ \$4.05 per share.
- (2) The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities.

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- (3) Held by the A. H. Belo Savings Plan as of the date of this statement.
- (4) All shares purchased in the open market on May 31, 2012 were purchased at \$4.00 per share.

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