MCGONIGLE JOHN W

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MCGONIGLE JOHN W

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

FEDERATED INVESTORS INC

/PA/ [FII]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction _X__ Director 10% Owner

(Month/Day/Year)

12/17/2010

Other (specify X_ Officer (give title below)

(Check all applicable)

V.Chairman, Sec., Exec VP

FEDERATED INVESTORS TOWER, 1001 LIBERTY AVENUE

(Street)

(First)

(Middle)

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 Form filed by More than One Reporting

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| (City) | (State) | (Zip) Tal | ole I - Non- | -Derivative | Secur | ities Acquire | ed, Disposed of, | or Beneficiall | y Owned |
|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---|--|---|-------|--------------------|--|--|---|
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securitie onDisposed o (Instr. 3, 4) | f (D) | uired (A) or Price | 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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
| Class B Common Stock | 12/17/2010 | | S | 157,740 | D | \$ 26.5914 (1) | 3,767,584 (<u>2)</u> | I | Held indirectly by Fairview Partners, L.P. |
| Class B Common Stock | 12/20/2010 | | S | 168,581 | D | \$ 26.484 (3) | 3,599,003 | I | Held indirectly by Fairview Partners, |

L.P.

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. Transa Code (Instr. | | 5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | | ate | Amou Under Secur | rlying | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) |
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| | | | | Code | V | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | | | | |
|--------------------------------|----------|-----------|---------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |

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MCGONIGLE JOHN W FEDERATED INVESTORS TOWER 1001 LIBERTY AVENUE **PITTSBURGH, PA 15222-3779**

V.Chairman, Sec., Exec VP

Relationships

Signatures

/s/ Gail C. Jones

(Attorney-in-Fact) 12/21/2010

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$26.52 to \$26.68 inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to Federated Investors, Inc., any security holder of Federated Investors, **(1)** Inc. or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote.

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In addition to the holdings set forth in Table I: 95, 908 shares held indirectly by 713 Investment Partners, L.P.; and 19,453 Shares held indirectly by Grantor Trusts.

The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$26.32 to \$26.68 inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to Federated Investors, Inc., any security holder of Federated Investors, Inc. or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote.

Remarks:

The Power of Attorney dated July 15, 2009 is incorporated by reference.

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