

FEDERATED INVESTORS INC /PA/

Form 4

September 26, 2014

**FORM 4****UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF  
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
DONAHUE J CHRISTOPHER

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol

FEDERATED INVESTORS INC  
/PA/ [FII]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

09/24/2014

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

President & CEO

1001 LIBERTY  
AVENUE, FEDERATED  
INVESTORS, INC.

(Street)

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

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

☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
☐ Form filed by More than One Reporting  
Person

PITTSBURGH, PA 15222-3779

(City) (State) (Zip)

**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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Class B Common Stock	09/24/2014		S <sup>(1)</sup>		396 <sup>(2)</sup>	D	\$ 29.9184 <sup>(3)</sup>	348,509 <sup>(4)</sup>	I	Held indirectly by Comax Partners Limited Partnership
Class B Common Stock	09/25/2014		S <sup>(1)</sup>		154 <sup>(2)</sup>	D	\$ 29.492 <sup>(5)</sup>	341,542 <sup>(4)</sup>	I	Held indirectly by Comax Partners

Class B Common Stock	2,174,912	D	Limited Partnership
Class B Common Stock	592,766	I	Held indirectly by power of attorney
Class B Common Stock	82	I	Held indirectly by AWOL, Inc.

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)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 6)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
DONAHUE J CHRISTOPHER 1001 LIBERTY AVENUE FEDERATED INVESTORS, INC. PITTSBURGH, PA 15222-3779	X		President & CEO	

## Signatures

/s/ John D. Martini  
(Attorney-in-Fact)

09/26/2014

\_\_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).

On September 24 and September 25, 2014, Comax Partners Limited Partnership ("Comax") sold shares of Federated Investors, Inc. Class

(1) B Common Stock for diversification purposes. Beechmax, Inc. ("Beechmax") is the sole general partner of Comax and the reporting person is a shareholder of Beechmax. The reporting person has a limited partnership interest in Comax.

(2) As a result of the transaction, the number of shares of Federated Investors, Inc. Class B Common Stock in which the reporting person has an indirect interest due to his limited partnership interest in Comax will decrease by the amount indicated in Box 4.

(3) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in 93 transactions at prices ranging from \$29.67 to \$30.15 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.

(4) The shares of Federated Investors, Inc. Class B Common Stock reported represent the reporting person's proportional beneficial interest (through his voting interest in the general partner) in shares of issuer securities held by Comax as shareholder of the general partner. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the Federated Investors, Inc. Class B Common Stock held by Comax except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

(5) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in 95 transactions at prices ranging from \$29.21 to \$29.95 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:

A Power of Attorney dated April 24, 2014 is filed herewith.

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