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# SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Plan Administrator has duly caused this annual report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

LIBERTY MEDIA 401(k) SAVINGS PLAN

By /s/ Brian J. Wendling
Brian J. Wendling
Senior Vice President and Controller

May 17, 2019

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#### Report of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm

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To the Plan Administrative Committee and Participants Liberty Media 401(k) Savings Plan Englewood, Colorado

#### **Opinion on the Financial Statements**

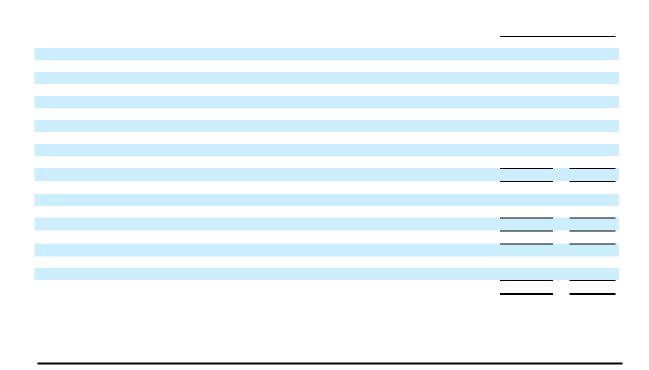
We have audited the accompanying statements of net assets available for benefits of the Liberty Media 401(k) Savings Plan (the "Plan") as of December 31, 2018 and 2017, the related statement of changes in net assets available for benefits for the years then ended, and the related notes (collectively, the "financial statements"). In our opinion, the financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the net assets available for benefits of the Plan as of December 31, 2018 and 2017, and the changes in net assets available for benefits for the years then ended, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

#### **Basis for Opinion**

These financial statements are the responsibility of the Plan's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the Plan's financial statements based on our audits. We are a public accounting firm registered with the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (United States) ("PCAOB") and are required to be independent with respect to the Plan in accordance with the U.S. federal securities laws and the applicable rules and regulations of the Securities and Exchange Commission and the PCAOB.

We conducted our audits in accordance with the standards of the PCAOB. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement, whether due to error or fraud. The Plan is not required to have, nor were we engaged to perform, an audit of its internal control over financial reporting. As part of our audits we are required to obtain an understanding of internal control over financial reporting but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Plan's internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, we express no such opinion.

Our audits included performing procedures to assess the risk of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to error or fraud, and performing procedures that respond to those risks. Such procedures included examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. Our audits also included evaluating the accounting principles used and significant i st emen emen led re we ihe o estimates made by the Plan's management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation l duded e



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#### **Forfeitures**

Forfeitures of employer contributions (due to participants' termination prior to full vesting) are first used to pay Liberty Plan expenses, with any excess used to reduce the participating employers' future matching contributions. Forfeitures aggregated approximately \$47,000 and \$42,000 during 2018 and 2017, respectively. Forfeitures of approximately \$139,000 and \$0 were used to pay Liberty Plan expenses during 2018 and 2017, respectively. Unused forfeitures aggregated approximately \$40,000 and \$63,000 at December 31, 2018 and 2017, respectively.

#### **Investment Options**

As of December 31, 2018, the Liberty Plan has various investment options including mutual funds and common stocks. The mutual funds include money market, bond, real estate, domestic and international stock funds, small to large cap funds, growth and value funds, and asset allocation funds based on target retirement dates. In addition, the Liberty Plan offers a brokerage option, Brokeragelink, whereby participants can elect to invest in publicly traded investments and mutual funds not offered directly by the Liberty Plan. A complete list of investment options can be found on Schedule I to these financial statements. Liberty Plan participants may change investment options and contribution percentages on a daily basis.

#### Vesting

Participant contributions and rollover contributions are always fully vested. Participants vest in employer matching contributions, other than employer contributions transferred from other plans, as follows:

		Vesting
	Years of service	percentage
Less than 1		0 %
1 year		33 %
2 years		66 %
3 years		100 %

Employer matching contributions transferred from other plans to the Liberty Plan vest according to the terms specified in the transferor plans.

### Plan Transfers

On February 15, 2018 the Liberty Plan received a transfer of assets of \$21,398,924, including participant loans outstanding of \$32,240 and related forfeitures of \$68,193, which reflected accounts of participants of certain non-participating employers in the Evite 401(k) Savings Plan (formerly known as the Liberty Interactive 401(k) Savings Plan).

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#### Plan Termination

Although Liberty has not expressed any intent to terminate the Liberty Plan, it may do so at any time, subject to the provisions of ERISA. The Liberty Plan provides for full and immediate vesting of all participant accounts upon termination of the Liberty Plan.

#### Risks and Uncertainties

The Liberty Plan invests in various investment securities. Investment securities are exposed to various risks such as interest rate, market, and credit risks. Due to the level of risk associated with certain investment securities, it is at least reasonably possible that changes in the values of investment securities will occur in the near term and that such changes could materially affect participants' account balances and the amounts reported in the statements of net assets available for benefits.

As of December 31, 2018, the Liberty Plan had concentrations of investments in Series C Liberty SiriusXM common stock, Series C Liberty Braves common stock, Series C Liberty Formula One common stock, Series A Qurate Retail common stock and Series A GCI Liberty common stock. As of December 31, 2017, the Liberty Plan had concentrations of investments in Series C Liberty SiriusXM common stock, Series C Liberty Braves common stock, Series C Liberty Formula One common stock, Series A Liberty QVC Group common stock and Series A Liberty Ventures common stock. Changes in the values of these investment securities could materially impact the net assets available for benefits due to these concentrations.

## (2) <u>Summary of Significant Accounting Policies</u>

#### **Basis of Presentation**

The accompanying financial statements of the Liberty Plan have been prepared on the accrual basis and present the net assets available for benefits and the changes in those net assets.

#### Trust Fund Managed by Fidelity Management Trust Company ("Trustee")

Under the terms of a trust agreement between Liberty and the Trustee, the Trustee manages a trust fund on behalf of the Liberty Plan and has been granted authority concerning purchases and sales of investments for the trust fund. The Trustee may, at the direction of Liberty Plan participants, invest up to 100% of the assets of the Liberty Plan in employer securities without regard to any fiduciary requirement to diversify Liberty Plan assets. Additionally, participants of the Liberty Plan are allowed to invest in non-employer securities.

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Investments are reflected in the accompanying financial statements at fair value. Fair value represents the closing price December 31, 2018 and 2017 for those securitiritie selrice e' N	ces a

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maintain its qualification. Although the Liberty Plan has been subsequently amended, the Liberty Plan administrator believes that the Liberty Plan is currently designed and being operated in compliance with the applicable requirements of the IRC. Therefore, the Liberty Plan administrator believes that the Liberty Plan is qualified and the related trust is tax-exempt as of December 31, 2018 and 2017.

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America ("GAAP") require plan management to evaluate tax positions taken by the plan and recognize a tax liability (or asset) if the plan has taken an uncertain position that more likely than not would not be sustained upon examination by the IRS. The Liberty Plan administrator has analyzed the tax positions taken by the Liberty Plan, and has concluded that as of December 31, 2018 and 2017, there are no uncertain positions taken or expected to be taken that would require recognition of a liability (or asset) or disclosure in the financial statements. The Liberty Plan is subject to routine audits by taxing jurisdictions; however, there are currently no audits for any tax periods in progress.

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## ① Level 1

Inputs to the valuation methodology are unadjusted quoted prices for identical assets or liabilities in active markets that the Liberty Plan has the ability to access.

#### ① Level 2

Inputs to the valuation methodology include:

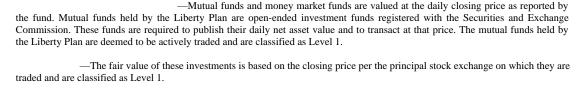
- o quoted prices for similar assets or liabilities in active markets;
- o quoted prices for identical or similar assets or liabilities in inactive markets;
- o inputs other than quoted prices that are observable for the asset or liability;
- inputs that are derived principally from or corroborated by observable market data by correlation or other means.

If the asset or liability has a specified (contractual) term, the level 2 input must be observable for substantially the full term of the asset or liability.

#### 3 Level 3

Inputs to the valuation methodology are unobservable and significant to the fair value measurement.

Certain investments are reported at fair value on a recurring basis in the statements of net assets available for benefits. The following methods and assumptions were used to estimate the fair values:



—This asset category represents a separate brokerage account that offers a wide range of investment opportunities including mutual funds, common stocks listed on major U.S. exchanges and fixed-income securities, including certificates of deposit. The fair value of common stocks and other exchange traded investments that are publicly traded is based on the closing price per the principal stock exchange on which they are traded and are classified as Level 1. The fair value of mutual funds icelar or mf

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## Consent of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm

To the Plan Administrative Committee Liberty Media 401(k) Savings Plan Englewood, Colorado

We hereby consent to the incorporation by reference in the Registration Statement (No. 333-176989) on Form S-8 of Qurate Retail, Inc. (formerly known as Liberty Interactive Corporation) and (No. 333-210818) on Form S-8 of Liberty Media Corporation of our report dated May 17, 2019, relating to the financial statements and supplemental schedy [b((PT "Nhed nHofHold o