LIBERTY CORP

Form 4

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FORM 4

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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SECURITIES Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * GAMCO INVESTORS, INC. ET AL			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol LIBERTY CORP [LC]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) ONE CORPO	(First) ORATE CE	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/04/2005	Director Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)			
	(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			
RYE, NY 10580				_X_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

K1E, N1 10300				Person					
(City)	(State)	(Zip) Ta	ble I - Non	-Derivative Sec	curities Acqu	iired, Disposed o	f, or Benefici	ally Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities A coror Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4 and (A) or Amount (D)	f (D) 15)	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)	
Common Stock	11/04/2005		P	9,300 A	\$ 46.5259	33,200	I	By: Investment Partnership	
Common Stock						1,500	I	By: Investment Partnership	
Common Stock						4,000	I	By: Investment Partnership	

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By: Common Investment 750 Ι Stock Partnership (1)

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)	4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed		ate	7. Titl Amou Under Securi (Instr.	nt of lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans
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				of (D)						(Instr
				(Instr. 3, 4, and 5)						
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					Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of		
			Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Relationships

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
GAMCO INVESTORS, INC. ET AL ONE CORPORATE CENTER RYE, NY 10580		X				
GABELLI MARIO J C/O GAMCO INVESTORS, INC. ONE CORPORATE CENTER RYE, NY 10580		X				
GGCP, INC. 140 GREENWICH AVENUE GREENWICH, CT 06830		X				

Signatures

/s/ James E. McKee Attorney-in-Fact for MARIO J. GABELLI and GGCP, INC. and Secretary for GAMCO INVESTORS, INC.

11/07/2005

Reporting Owners 2 **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).
- The Reporting Persons have less than a 100% interest in this entity. The amount of securities reported as beneficially owned reflects the total amount of securities held by this entity which is greater than the Reporting Persons indirect pecuniary interests. The Reporting Persons hereby disclaim ownership of these securities in excess of their pecuniary interests.

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