FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* PETERMAN TIM							2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol SCRIPPS E W CO /DE [ SSP ]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Is (Check all applicable)  Director 10% C				wner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 312 WALNUT STREET, 28TH FLOOR							3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/09/2005									X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)  SVP/Interactive Media					
(Street)	Street) CINCINNATI OH 45202					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)										Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     X Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting					
(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)											Person							
		Tab	le I - Nor	n-Deriv	/ative	e Se	curiti	es A	cqui	red, C	isp	osed o	f, or E	enet	ficiall	y Owned	l				
					2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Ye		Executi if any	2A. Deemed Execution Date, f any Month/Day/Year)		Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5)			A) or , 4 and		es ally Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
				Code V Amount (A) or (D) Price Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)								(Instr. 4)									
Class A C share													10,	10,707		D					
Common Voting Shares, \$.01 par value per share																	0	D			
		٦	Гable II -									sed of, onverti				Owned					
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Day	Date,	4. Transa Code ( 8)	ction Instr.	5. Number of		Expir	6. Date Exercisa Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year			of Secu Underly Derivat	7. Title and Amoun of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactic (Instr. 4)	e s ally g	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exerc	cisable	E) Dá	epiration ate	Title	or Nu of	nount mber ares						
Option	\$37.505								03/0	01/2003	02	2/28/2012	Class A		,000		5		D		
Option	\$39.985								02/2	26/2004	02	2/25/2013	Class A		,000		5		D		
Option	\$48.71								03/2	23/2005	03	3/22/2014	Class A		,500		5		D		
Option	\$46.46								02/1	15/2006	02	2/09/2013	Class A		,000		5		D		
Option	\$47.07	11/09/2005			A		1		11/09	9/2006 <sup>(1)</sup>	11	/08/2013	Class A		,000	(2)	5		D		

## Explanation of Responses:

- 1. This option is exercisable in three equal installments on 11/9/2006, 11/9/2007 and 11/9/2008.
- $2. \ The \ exercise \ price \ of \ this \ nonqualified \ stock \ option \ award \ granted \ under \ the \ company's \ Long-Term \ Incentive \ Plan \ is \ \$47.07.$

## Remarks:

/s/ M. Denise Kuprionis,

Attorney-in-fact for Tim

11/14/2005

**Peterman** 

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- \* 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).

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