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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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| SCRIPPS PAUL K | | on* | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>SCRIPPS E W CO /DE</u> [SSP] | | tionship of Reporting Perso all applicable) Director | on(s) to Issuer 10% Owner Other (specify below) | |
|------------------------|---------------|----------------|--|------------------------|--|--|--|
| | | () | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/26/2007 | | Officer (give title below) | | |
| (Street) CINCINNATI | OH (State) | 45202 (Zip) | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | 6. Indiv Line) X | idual or Joint/Group Filing (Form filed by One Report Form filed by More than (Person | ting Person | |

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. Transa Code (8) | | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported | 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 Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | Transaction(s) | | (1130. 4) | | | | |
| Class A Common Shares, \$.01 par value per share | | | | | | | 206 | D | |
| Class A Common Shares, \$.01 par value per share | | | | | | | 1,024 | I | By wife & as custodian for children |
| Common Voting Shares, \$.01 par value per share | | | | | | | 102,280 | D | |
| Common Voting Shares, \$.01 par value per share | | | | | | | 3,129,946 | Ι | Trustee of several Trusts |

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 (8) | | of Deriv Secu Acqu (A) o Dispe of (D | Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) rities irred r osed) 3, 3, 4 | | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4) | | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) | 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
|---|---|--|---|------------------------------|---|--|---|---------------------|---|-------------------|---|--|--|--|--|
| | | | | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | | | |
| Option | \$39.005 | | | | | | | 05/09/2003 | 05/08/2012 | Class A Common | 10,000 | | 6 | D | |
| Option | \$39.82 | | | | | | | 04/29/2004 | 04/28/2013 | Class A Common | 10,000 | | 6 | D | |
| Option | \$52.91 | | | | | | | 04/15/2005 | 04/14/2014 | Class A Common | 10,000 | | 6 | D | |
| Option | \$51.26 | | | | | | | 04/14/2006 | 04/13/2015 | Class A Common | 10,000 | | 6 | D | |
| Option | \$46.64 | | | | | | | 05/04/2007 | 05/03/2016 | Class A Common | 10,000 | | 6 | D | |
| Option | \$43.28 | 04/26/2007 | | A | | 1 | | 04/26/2008 | 04/25/2017 | Class A Common | 10,000 | (1) | 6 | D | |

Explanation of Responses:

1. The exercise price of this nonqualified stock option award granted under the company's 1997 Long-Term Incentive Plan is \$43.28.

Remarks:

<u>/s/ M. Denise Kuprionis,</u> <u>Attorney-in fact for Paul K.</u> <u>Scripps</u> ** Signature of Reporting Person

04/27/2007

Date

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

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