FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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|--|---|--|---|------------|----------------------------|---------|---|----------|--|------------------|---------------|---------------|--|---------------|-----------------------------|---|---|---|--|---|--|--|
| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* TYSOE RONALD W | | | | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>SCRIPPS E W CO /DE</u> [SSP] | | | | | | | | | | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | - | | C Director | | | 10% C | wner | | | | |
| (Last) (First) (Middle) 312 WALNUT STREET, 28TH FLOOR | | | | | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/31/2005 | | | | | | | | | | Officer (give title Other (specify below) | | | | | |
| | 4 | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (Street) | | | | | | 4/04/2 | | n, Dai | | Jinginari | neu | (11101101101 | | Line) | | | | | | | | |
| CINCINNATI OH 45202 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | X Form filed by One Reporting Person | | | | | | |
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| (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Deriva | | | | | | | | | | | | | <u>,</u> | | <u> </u> | | | | | | | |
| | | Ta | ble I - Noi | n-Der | ivativ | e Se | curit | ies A | Acdr | ured, | Disp | osed | of, or | Ben | eficial | y Owned | 1 | | | | | |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date (Month/D | | | | | | (ear) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date if any (Month/Day/Ye | | | Code (| | | urities Acquired (A) or sed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and | | | Benefici | es | Form (D) o | wnership n: Direct or Indirect nstr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | Code | V Amou | | nt | (A) or (D) | Price | Reporte Transac | Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | | (Instr. 4) | | |
| Class A Common Shares, \$.01 par value per share | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 0 | | | D | | | |
| Common Voting Shares, \$.01 par value per share | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 0 | | D | | | |
| | | | Table II - | | | | | | | red, D option | | | | | | Owned | | | | | | |
| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemee Execution I if any (Month/Day | d Date, | 4. Transa Code 8) | action | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | 6. Date Exercis Expiration Date (Month/Day/Yea | | cisabl ate | | 7. Title and Amoun of Securities Underlying Derivat Security (Instr. 3 ar 4) | | nount erivative | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | | e Ownershi s Form: Illy Direct (D) or Indirec g (I) (Instr. 4 | | Beneficial Ownershi t (Instr. 4) | | |
| | | | | | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date | e rcisable | Exp Dat | viration e | Title | Nu | nount or mber of ares | | | | | | | |
| Option | \$24.47 | | | | | | | | 05/: | 18/2001 | 05/: | 17/2010 | Class Comm | | 0,000 | | 7 | | D | | | |
| Option | \$32.16 | | | | | | | | 05/ | 10/2002 | 05/0 | 09/2011 | Class Comm | | 0,000 | | 7 | | D | | | |
| Option | \$39.005 | | | | | | | | 05/0 | 09/2003 | 05/0 | 08/2012 | Class Comm | | 0,000 | | 7 | | D | | | |
| Option | \$38.805 | | | | | | | | 11/2 | 21/2003 | 11/2 | 20/2012 | Class Comm | | 0,000 | | 7 | | D | | | |
| Phantom Stock | \$48.89 | 03/31/2005 | | | J | | 1 | | | (1) | | (1) | Class Comm | | 9.92(1) | (1) | 7 | | D | | | |
| Option | \$39.82 | | | | | | | | 04/2 | 29/2004 | 04/2 | 28/2013 | Class Comm | | 0,000 | | 7 | | D | | | |
| Option | \$52.91 | | | | | | | | 04/ | 15/2005 | 04/3 | 14/2014 | Class Comm | | 0,000 | | 7 | | D | | | |

Explanation of Responses:

1. Pursuant to the company's 1997 Deferred Compensation and Stock Plan for Directors, directors may defer fees into a phantom stock fund. Under this plan, fees are converted quarterly into phantom shares at the fair market value of the company's Class A Common shares on the last trading day of each quarter. Upon retirement as a director, the balance may be paid in either shares or cash. On 4/4/05 we filed a Form 4 indicating Mr. Tysoe received 414.46 phantom shares in his account at 3/31/05. The correct amount of phantom shares received was 209.92, and the balance at 3/31/05 was 19,951.54 phantom shares. **Remarks:**

<u>/s/ M. Denise Kuprionis,</u>

Attorney-in-fact for Ronald W. 04/11/2005

Date

<u>Tysoe</u> ** Signature of Reporting Person

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).

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