FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>GALLOWAY DAVID A</u>						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SCRIPPS E W CO /DE [SSP]											of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer able) r 10% Owner					
(Last) 312 WAI	Last) (First) (Middle) 312 WALNUT STREET, 28TH FLOOR					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/14/2005										Officer below)	(give title		Other (s below)	specify		
(Street)	NATI O	Н	45202		4. 1	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Line	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						
		Tal	ole I - Nor	า-Deriv	ativ	e Se	curit	ies A	cqu	ıired, I	Disp	osed	of, or	Bene	eficiall	y Owned						
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Tran: Date (Month			action Day/Year)		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year			Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5)				5. Amour Securitie Beneficia Owned F	s ally ollowing	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership				
										Code V		Amoun	ınt (A) or (D)		Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)		
Class A Common Shares, \$.01 par value per share															2,0	2,000		D				
Common Voting Shares, \$.01 par value per share															0			D				
			Table II -	Deriva (e.g., p												Owned						
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed 4. 5. Number 6. Da Execution Date, Transaction of Expi			arte Exercisable and irration Date of Securities underlying Deriva Security (Instr. 3 a 4)					rivative	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)						
				c	Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exe	e rcisable	Exp Date	iration e	Title	Nu	nount or mber of ares							
Option	\$38.805			T					11/2	21/2003	11/2	20/2012	Class A		5,000		5		D			
Phantom Stock	\$48.89									(1)		(1)	Class A		0.49(1)		5		D			
Option	\$39.82			\neg					04/2	29/2004	04/2	28/2013	Class A		0,000		5		D			
Option	\$52.91								04/1	15/2005	04/1	4/2014	Class A		0,000		5		D			
Option	\$51.26	04/14/2005			A		1		04/1	14/2006	04/1	3/2015	Class	A 1	0,000	(2)	5		D			

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. The balance at 3/31/05 is 2,873.71 phantom shares

Remarks:

/s/ M. Denise Kuprionis, Attorney-in-fact for David A.

04/15/2005

Galloway

** 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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^{2.} The exercise price of this nonqualified stock option award granted under the company's 1997 Long-Term Incentive Plan is \$51.26.