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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name ar PETER		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SCRIPPS E W CO /DE [SSP]									ationship k all appli Directo	cable)	g Pers	Person(s) to Issuer					
(Last) (First) (Middle) 312 WALNUT STREET, 28TH FLOOR						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/15/2008									below)	Officer (give title below) SVP/Corporate I		Other (s below) velopmen	· ·
(Street) CINCINNATI OH 45202				4. II	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ne) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(S		(Zip)																
Table I - Non-Deriva 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)					action	action 2 Pay/Year) i		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. 4. Secu Transaction Dispos Code (Instr. 5)		rities Acquired (A) ed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4		or 5. Amo Securi Benefi Owner		int of es ially Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
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Class A Common Shares, \$.01 par value per share 02/15.						2008			F		809	D	D \$4		5,	5,353		D	
Common Voting Shares, \$.01 par value per share																0		D	
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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/Da	Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		n of		6. Date Exercisal Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year			of Securit Underlyin Derivative	Title and Amount Securities iderlying rivative Security istr. 3 and 4)		Price of erivative ecurity nstr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	Owner Form: Direct or Indi (I) (Ins	Ownership	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
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Option	\$37.505								03/01/2003	02	2/28/2012	Class A Common	20,00	00		7		D	
Option	\$39.985								02/26/2004	02	2/25/2013	Class A Common	24,00	00		7		D	
Option	\$48.71								03/23/2005	03	3/22/2014	Class A Common	22,50	00		7		D	
Option	\$46.46								02/15/2006	6 02	2/09/2013	Class A Common	15,00	00		7		D	
Option	\$47.07								11/09/2006	11	/08/2013	Class A Common	15,00	00		7		D	
Option	\$48.91								02/22/2007	02	2/21/2014	Class A Common	17,50	00		7		D	
Option	\$48.82								02/22/2008	02	2/21/2015	Class A Common	17,50	00		7		D	

Explanation of Responses:

Remarks:

/s/ M. Denise Kuprionis,

Attorney-in-fact for Tim

<u>Peterman</u>

** Signature of Reporting Person

02/19/2008

Date

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

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