### 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>Knutson Lisa A</u>	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>SCRIPPS E W CO /DE</u> [ SSP ]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner
(Last) (First) (Middle) 312 WALNUT STREET, 28TH FLOOR	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/05/2012	X below) below) Senior VP/Chief Admin. Officer
(Street) CINCINNATI OH 45202 (City) (State) (Zip)	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting 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)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			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)		(1130.4)
Class A Common Shares, \$.01 par value per share	03/05/2012(1)		С		116,279	A	<b>\$9.31</b>	122,727	D	
Class A Common Shares, \$.01 par value per share	03/05/2012(2)		F		39,500	D	\$9.31	83,227	D	
Common Voting Shares, \$.01 par value per share								0	D	

# 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)				6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		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)	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		(Instr. 4)		
Restricted Stock Units	\$9.31	03/05/2012		С			116,279	03/05/2010	03/05/2013	Restricted Stock Units	116,279	\$9.31	116,279	D	
Option	\$10.44							02/22/2007	02/21/2014	Class A Common	19,717		19,717	D	
Option	\$10.41							02/22/2008	02/21/2015	Class A Common	34,425		34,425	D	
Option	\$9.09							02/21/2009	02/20/2016	Class A Common	46,948		46,948	D	
Restricted Stock Units	(3)							03/09/2011	03/09/2014	Restricted Stock Units	30,000		30,000 <sup>(3)</sup>	D	
Restricted Stock Units	(4)							03/11/2012	03/11/2015	Restricted Stock Units	31,712		31,712 <sup>(4)</sup>	D	
Restricted Stock Units	(4)							10/01/2012	10/01/2015	Restricted Stock Units	13,245		13,245 <sup>(4)</sup>	D	

#### Explanation of Responses:

1. This transaction reflects the conversion of restricted stock units into Class A Common Shares.

2. The terms of this long-term incentive award mandate that the Company withhold shares to satisfy the reporting person's tax obligation.

3. This restricted stock unit will vest in equal parts in 2012, 2013 and 2014. Upon vesting, each restricted stock unit will convert into one Class A Common share of the Company.

4. This restricted unit award will vest in equal parts in 2012, 2013, 2014 and 2015. Upon vesting, each restricted stock unit will convert into one Class A Common share of the Company. **Remarks:** 

/s/ William Appleton, Attorney-03/07/2012

Date

in-fact for Lisa A. Knutson

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

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

 $\ast$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).

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