### 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 Addres   | ss of Reporting Person<br>RVIN | n*       | 2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol<br><u>SCRIPPS E W CO /DE</u> [ SSP ] |                    | ionship of Reporting Perso<br>all applicable)<br>Director      | 10% Owner             |  |
|--|--------------------------------|----------|---|--------------------|--|-----------------------|--|
| (Last) (First) (Middle)<br>312 WALNUT STREET<br>28TH FLOOR |                                | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)<br>06/30/2009                          |                    | Officer (give title below)                                     | Other (specify below) |  |
|  |                                |          | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)                                | 6. Indivi<br>Line) | Check Applicable   |                       |  |
| (Street)<br>CINCINNATI                                     | ОН                             | 45202    |   | X                  | Form filed by One Repor<br>Form filed by More than (<br>Person |                       |  |
| (City)   | (State)                        | (Zip)    |   |                    |  |                       |  |

#### Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)                  | 2. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date,<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | Transaction Disposed |   | 4. Securities A<br>Disposed Of ( |               |       | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned Following<br>Reported | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
|--|--|---|----------------------|---|----------------------------------|---------------|-------|---|---|---|
|  |  |   | Code                 | v | Amount                           | (A) or<br>(D) | Price | Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4)  |   | (   |
| Class A Common Shares, \$.01 par value per share |  |   |                      |   |                                  |               |       | 10,200  | 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<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date,<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transa<br>Code (<br>8) |   | Derivative |     | 6. Date Exerc<br>Expiration Da<br>(Month/Day/N | ate                | 7. Title and Amount of<br>Securities Underlying<br>Derivative Security<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |                                  | 8. Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5) | 9. Number of<br>derivative<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported | 10.<br>Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
|---|---|--|---|------------------------------|---|------------|-----|--|--------------------|--|----------------------------------|---|--|--|--|
|   |   |  |   | Code                         | v | (A)        | (D) | Date<br>Exercisable                            | Expiration<br>Date | Title  | Amount or<br>Number of<br>Shares |   | Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 4)   |  |  |
| Phantom<br>Stock                                    | (1)   | 06/30/2009                                 |   | J                            |   | 2,227.87   |     | (1)  | (1)                | Class A<br>Common  | 5,257.69                         | (1)   | 5,257.69   | D  |  |
| Restricted<br>Stock Unit                            | (2)   |  |   |                              |   |            |     | 02/17/2009                                     | 02/17/2010         | Restricted<br>Stock<br>Units   | 7,961                            |   | 7,961  | D  |  |
| Restricted<br>Stock<br>Units                        | (3)   |  |   |                              |   |            |     | 05/05/2009                                     | 05/05/2010         | Restricted<br>Stock<br>Units   | 34,285                           |   | 34,285   | 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 or at another specified date, the balance may be paid in either shares or cash. At March 31, 2009, Mr. Quin's account was credited with 3,029.81 phantom shares and on June 30, 2009, the account was credited with 2,227.87 shares.

2. This restricted stock unit award will vest on February 17, 2010. Upon vesting, each restricted stock unit will convert into one Class A Common share of the Company based on the closing price of the Company's shares on the vesting date.

3. This restricted stock unit award will vest on May 5, 2010. Upon vesting, each restricted stock unit will convert into one Class A Common share of the Company based on the closing price of the Company's shares on the vesting date.

Remarks:

/s/ Mary Denise Kuprionis,

Attorney-in-fact for J. Marvin Quin

07/01/2009

\*\* 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).

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