FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>STAUTBERG TIMOTHY E</u>						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SCRIPPS E W CO /DE [SSP]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify)					wner
(Last) (First) (Middle) 312 WALNUT STREET, 28TH FLOOR						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/23/2005									X Officer (give title Other (specify below) VP/Comm & IR					specify
(Street) CINCINNATI OH 45202				4. 11	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					on			
(City) (State) (Zip)														Person						
		Tab	le I - Noi	n-Deri	vative	Sec	curiti	es A	cquire	l, Di	spose	of,	or Bei	neficia	ally O	wned	ı			
Date				saction /Day/Year)		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Code	Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5)			4 and Securit Benefic		es ally Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
									Code	v	Amou	nt	(A) or (D)	Price	1	Transaci Instr. 3	tion(s)			(Instr. 4)
Class A (share	Common Sh	ares, \$.01 par va	alue per	03/2	3/2005	5			F		2'	74	D	\$47.	.95	11,	,644		D	
Class A (share	Common Sh	ares, \$.01 par va	alue per													1	60		Ι	By wife
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. Transa Code (8)		of Deriv	r osed) r. 3, 4	6. Date E Expiration (Month/I	n Dai		of S Un De	Fitle and Securitie derlying rivative S str. 3 and	Security	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	у	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa	ble	Expiratio Date	n Titl		Amount or Number of Shares						
Option	\$23.61								01/15/19	99	01/14/200	8 I C-	ass A mmon	8,600			8		D	
Option	\$23.655								01/19/20	000	01/18/200		ass A mmon	8,400			8		D	
Option	\$24.5								01/24/20	01	01/23/201		ass A mmon	8,000			8		D	
Option	\$32.125								01/25/20	02	01/24/201		ass A mmon	9,000			8		D	
Option	\$37.555								02/20/20	03	02/19/201		ass A mmon	30,000			8		D	
Option	\$39.985								02/26/20	04	02/25/201		ass A mmon	24,000			8		D	
Option	\$48.71								03/23/20	05	03/22/201		ass A mmon	22,500			8		D	
Option	\$46.46								02/15/20	06	02/09/201		ass A mmon	15,000			8		D	

Explanation of Responses:

Remarks:

/s/ M. Denise Kuprionis,

Attorney-in-fact for Timothy E. 03/24/2005 Stautberg

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

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