# FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Addre Lawlor Brian (Last) 312 WALNUT 2 28TH FLOOR	1 G. (First)	Person* (Middle)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol     SCRIPPS E W CO /DE [ SSP ]  3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/09/2010	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner  X Officer (give title Other (specify below)  Sr. VP/Television				
	OH (State)	45202 (Zip)	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	G. 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-l	Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Ben	eficially Owned				

#### 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction 2A. Deemed 7. Nature of Execution Date, if any Transaction Code (Instr. Indirect Beneficial Date (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Year) 8) Owned Following (I) (Instr. 4) Ownership Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) (A) or (D) Code ٧ Price Amount (Instr. 3 and 4) Class A Common Shares, \$.01 par value per 03/05/2010 C 58,139 A \$9.7 100,085 D share Class A Common Shares, \$.01 par value per F<sup>(1)</sup> 03/05/2010 18,634 \$9.7 81,451 D D share Class A Common Shares, \$.01 par value per S<sup>(2)</sup> 03/08/2010 15,000 D \$8.0206 66,451 D share Common Voting Shares, \$.01 par value per 0 D share

# 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) S. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		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	(3)	03/05/2010		С			58,139	03/05/2010	03/05/2013	Restricted Stock Units	232,558	\$9.7	174,419	D	
Restricted Stock Units	(4)	03/09/2010		A		40,000		03/09/2011	03/09/2014	Restricted Stock Units	40,000	(4)	40,000	D	
Option	\$8.01							02/20/2003	02/19/2012	Class A Common	5,633		5,633	D	
Option	\$8.52							02/26/2004	02/25/2013	Class A Common	3,755		3,755	D	
Option	\$10.47							02/25/2005	02/24/2014	Class A Common	9,389		9,389	D	
Option	\$9.9							02/10/2006	02/09/2013	Class A Common	9,389		9,389	D	
Option	\$10.44							02/22/2007	02/21/2014	Class A Common	21,907		21,907	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	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. One-fourth of a March 5, 2009 restricted stock unit award vested on March 5, 2010. The terms of this incentive award mandate that the Company withhold shares to satisfy the reporting person's tax obligation.
- 2. These shares were sold in accordance with a stock trading plan adopted on December 14, 2009, in accordance with the guidelines specified by Rule 10b5-1.
- 3. A restricted stock unit award was granted on March 5, 2009 and vests in four equal parts on March 5, 2010, 2011, 2012 and 2013. Upon vesting, each restricted stock unit converts into one Class A Common share of the Company.
- 4. A restricted stock unit award was granted on March 9, 2010. The award is part time-vested and part performance-vested. The time-vested portion of the award vests in four equal parts on March 9, 2011, 2012, 2013 and 2014. If the performance objective is achieved, this portion of the award will vest over the same four-year period. Upon vesting, each restricted stock unit converts into one Class A Common share of the Company.

#### Remarks:

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\*\* 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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