Instruction 1(b)

## FORM 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <sup>*</sup> <u>TYSOE RONALD W</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)					
							DERITION W CO / DE [ 35r ]										X Director		10% Owner		
(Last) (First) (Middle)						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/30/2007										Officer (give title below)			Other ( below)	specify	
312 WALNUT STREET, 28TH FLOOR															_						
(Street) CINCINNATI OH 45202					. 4. ľ	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				n	
(City) (State) (Zip)																Pers		re thar	о Опе керс	inting	
		Tal	ole I - Nor	-Deriv	/ativ	e Se	curit	ies A	\cqu	ired, I	Disp	osed	of, or	Ben	eficial	ly Owne	d				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date (Month/E					action	ו	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		ite,	e, Transaction Disp Code (Instr. 5)			curities Acquired (A) o sed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			5. Amo Securi Benefi Owned	ount of ties cially I Following	Form (D) o	vnership I: Direct r Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
									Ī	Code	v	Amoun	ıt	(A) or (D)	Price	Transa	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)	
Class A Common Shares, \$.01 par value per share																0		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 D if any (Month/Day	ate, T	1. Fransa Code (I 3)		of E		Expi	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amour of Securities Underlying Deriva Security (Instr. 3 a 4)		rivative	8. Price o Derivativ Security (Instr. 5)		e s ally g	10. Ownershi Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				c	Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exer	cisable	Exp Dat	iration e	Title	Nu	nount or mber of ares						
Option	\$32.16								05/1	0/2002	05/0	09/2011	Class Comm		0,000		9		D		
Option	\$39.005								05/0	9/2003	05/0	08/2012	Class Comm		0,000		9		D		
Option	\$38.805								11/2	1/2003	11/2	20/2012	Class Comm		0,000		9		D		
Phantom Stock	\$42	09/30/2007			J		1			(1)		(1)	Class Comm		6.14(1)	(1)	9		D		
Option	\$39.82								04/2	9/2004	04/2	28/2013	Class Comm		0,000		9		D		
Option	\$52.91								04/1	5/2005	<b>04/</b> 1	14/2014	Class Comm		0,000		9		D		
Option	\$51.26								04/1	4/2006	<b>04/</b> 1	13/2015	Class Comm		0,000		9		D		
Option	\$46.64								05/0	4/2007	05/0	03/2016	Class Comm		0,000		9		D		
Option	\$43.28								04/2	26/2008	04/2	25/2017	Class Comm		0,000		9		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, the balance may be paid in either shares or cash. The balance at 9/30/07 was 23,471.85 phantom shares.

**Remarks:** 

/s/ M. Denise Kuprionis,

Attorney-in-fact for Ronald W. 10/01/2007 <u>Tysoe</u>

\*\* 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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