FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name a		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SCRIPPS E W CO /DE [ SSP ]											lationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer sk all applicable)  Director 10% Owner  Officer (size title Others (specific								
(Last) 312 WA	,	First) REET, 28TH FLO	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  02/21/2008  X Officer (give title below)  Chief Operating Officer  4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)  6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable)										specily							
(Street) CINCINNATI OH 45202						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)										Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting					
(City)	(5	State)	(Zip)													Person					
		Tal	ble I - Non	-Deriva	ative	e Se			Acqu	iired, I	Disp					/ Owned					
Date					nsaction th/Day/Year)		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)			Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 5)			(A) or 3, 4 and	Securitie Beneficia Owned F	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported		: Direct Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
										Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price	Transacti (Instr. 3 a	ion(s)			, 22 ,	
Class A ( share	Common Sl	hares, \$.01 par va	alue per	02/21	/200	8				A		27,39	91	A	(1)	27,3	91(1)		D		
Class A Common Shares, \$.01 par value per share																21,830				Wife's Trust	
Class A ( share	Common Sl													26,	26,012		D				
Common share	Voting Sha	ting Shares, \$.01 par value per															0		D		
			Table II - I	Derivat e.g., p	tive :	Sec call	uritie Is, wa	s Ac ırran	quii	red, Di	ispo s. c	sed of onverti	, or E ible s	Benef ecuri	icially ( ties)	Owned					
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, Tr	ansaction ode (Instr.		5. Number of		6. Date Exercisa Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year		isabl ate		7. Title and An of Securities Underlying Derivative Sec (Instr. 3 and 4)		mount	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Numbe derivative Securities Beneficia Owned Following Reported Transacti (Instr. 4)	e s lly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Co	ode	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exer	rcisable	Ex Da	piration ite	Title	OI N	mount ımber Shares						
Option	\$23.655								01/	19/2000	01	/18/2009	Class		0,000		11		D		
Option	\$20.765								02/	25/2000	02	/24/2009	Class Comm		0,000		11		D		
Option	\$24.5								01/	24/2001	01	/23/2010	Class Comm		0,000		11		D		
Option	\$32.125								01/	25/2002	01	/24/2011	Class Comm		00,000		11		D		
Option	\$37.555								02/	20/2003	02	/19/2012	Class Comm		20,000		11		D		
Option	\$39.985								02/	26/2004	02	/25/2013	Class Comm		10,000		11		D		
Option	\$48.71								03/	23/2005	03	/22/2014	Class Comm		0,000		11		D		
Option	\$46.46								02/	15/2006	02	/09/2013	Class Comm		0,000		11		D		
Option	\$44.75								03/	29/2007	03	/28/2014	Class Comm		5,000		11		D		
Option	\$48.82						$oxed{}$		02/	22/2008	02	/21/2015	Class Comm		5,000		11		D		
Option	\$42.62	02/21/2008			A		1		02/2	1/2009 <sup>(2)</sup>	02	/20/2016	Class Comm		7,500	(3)	11		D		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- $1. This \ restricted \ share \ award \ shall \ vest \ in \ three \ equal \ installments \ on \ 2/21/09, \ 2/21/10 \ and \ 2/21/11.$
- 2. This option is exercisable in equal installments on 2/21/09, 2/21/10 and 2/21/11.
- 3. The exercise price of this nonqualified stock option award granted under the company's Long-Term Incentive Plan is \$42.62.

## Remarks:

/s/ M. Denise Kuprionis, Attorney-in-fact for Richard A. 02/25/2008 Boehne

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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