

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>BURLINGAME JOHN H</u>  (Last) (First) (Middle) 312 WALNUT STREET, 28TH FLOOR  (Street) CINCINNATI OH 45202  (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>SCRIPPS E W CO /DE [ SSP ]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/02/2012	
4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)		

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Class A Common Shares, \$.01 par value per share	03/02/2012		M		4,694	A	\$8.31	29,794	D	
Class A Common Shares, \$.01 par value per share	03/02/2012		S		4,694	D	\$9.346	25,100	D	
Class A Common Shares, \$.01 par value per share								13,064,074	I	EWS Trust
Common Voting Shares, \$.01 par value per share								10,693,333	I	EWS Trust

**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)		5. 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) (Instr. 4)	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
Option	\$8.31	03/02/2012		M			4,694	05/09/2003	05/08/2012	Class A Common	4,694	\$8.31	0	D	
Option	\$11.28							04/15/2005	04/14/2014	Class A Common	4,694		4,694	D	
Option	\$10.92							04/14/2006	04/13/2015	Class A Common	4,694		4,694	D	
Option	\$9.96							05/04/2007	05/03/2016	Class A Common	4,694		4,694	D	
Option	\$9.24							04/26/2008	04/25/2017	Class A Common	4,694		4,694	D	
Option	\$9.93							06/13/2009	06/12/2018	Class A Common	23,474		23,474	D	
Option	\$8.49							04/29/2004	04/28/2013	Class A Common	4,694		4,694	D	
Restricted Stock Units	(1)							05/12/2012	05/12/2012	Restricted Stock Units	4,228		4,228 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	

**Explanation of Responses:**

1. This restricted stock unit award will vest on May 12, 2012. Upon vesting, each restricted stock unit will convert into one Class A Common share of the Company.

**Remarks:**

/s/ William Appleton,  
Attorney-in-fact for John H. Burlingame      03/05/2012

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person      Date

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).

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