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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Addre	1 0		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>SCRIPPS E W CO /DE</u> [SSP]		tionship of Reporting Perso all applicable) Director Officer (give title	son(s) to Issuer 10% Owner Other (specify				
(Last) 312 WALNUT S	(First) STREET, 28TH	(Middle) I FLOOR	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/04/2003	X	below) VP/Comm &	below)				
(Street) CINCINNATI (City)	TI OH 45202 (State) (Zip)		4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv Line) X	idual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned										

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1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transa Code (8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	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	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(1150.4)
Class A Common Shares, \$.01 par value per share	11/04/2003		G		8	D	(1)	2,466	D	
Class A Common Shares, \$.01 par value per share	11/04/2003		G		120	D	(1)	80	Ι	By wife
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)

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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. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transa Code (8)		of Expiratio				nd 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	Amount or Number of Shares				
Option	\$47.22							01/15/1999	01/14/2008	Class A Common	4,300		6	D	
Option	\$47.31							01/19/2000	01/18/2009	Class A Common	4,200		6	D	
Option	\$49							01/24/2001	01/23/2010	Class A Common	4,000		6	D	
Option	\$64.25							01/25/2002	01/24/2011	Class A Common	4,500		6	D	
Option	\$75.11							02/20/2003	02/19/2012	Class A Common	15,000		6	D	
Option	\$79.97							02/26/2004	02/25/2013	Class A Common	12,000		6	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. No price listed since this was a gift.

Remarks:

/s/ M. Denise Kuprionis,

Attorney-in-fact for Timothy E. 11/05/2003 **Stautberg**

** 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).

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