

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP**

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*<br><b>STAUTBERG TIMOTHY E</b><br><br>(Last) (First) (Middle)<br><b>312 WALNUT STREET, 28TH FLOOR</b><br><br>(Street)<br><b>CINCINNATI OH 45202</b><br><br>(City) (State) (Zip) | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol<br><b>SCRIPPS E W CO /DE [ SSP ]</b> | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)<br><br>Director 10% Owner<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)<br><b>Senior VP &amp; CFO</b> |
|   | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)<br><b>03/05/2010</b>            |   |
|   | 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 | 03/05/2010                           |  | C                              |   | 116,279   | A          | \$9.7 | 153,654   | D  |   |
| Class A Common Shares, \$.01 par value per share | 03/05/2010                           |  | F <sup>(1)</sup>               |   | 40,457  | D          | \$9.7 | 113,197   | D  |   |
| Class A Common Shares, \$.01 par value per share |                                      |  |                                |   |   |            |       | 53  | I  | 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)**

| 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   | Amount or Number of Shares |  |  |   |  |
| Restricted Stock Units                     | (2)  | 03/05/2010                           |  | C                              |   | 116,279  |     | 03/05/2010   | 03/05/2013      | Restricted Stock Units  | 465,116                    | \$9.7                                      | 348,837  | D   |  |
| Restricted Stock Units                     | (3)  | 03/09/2010                           |  | A                              |   | 40,000   |     | 03/09/2011   | 03/09/2014      | Restricted Stock Units  | 40,000                     | (3)  | 40,000   | D   |  |
| Option                                     | \$6.87   |                                      |  |                                |   |  |     | 01/25/2002   | 01/24/2011      | Class A Common  | 8,450                      |  | 8,450  | D   |  |
| Option                                     | \$8.01   |                                      |  |                                |   |  |     | 02/20/2003   | 02/19/2012      | Class A Common  | 28,169                     |  | 28,169   | D   |  |
| Option                                     | \$8.52   |                                      |  |                                |   |  |     | 02/26/2004   | 02/25/2013      | Class A Common  | 22,535                     |  | 22,535   | D   |  |
| Option                                     | \$10.38  |                                      |  |                                |   |  |     | 03/23/2005   | 03/22/2014      | Class A Common  | 21,126                     |  | 21,126   | D   |  |
| Option                                     | \$9.9  |                                      |  |                                |   |  |     | 02/10/2006   | 02/09/2013      | Class A Common  | 14,084                     |  | 14,084   | D   |  |
| Option                                     | \$10.44  |                                      |  |                                |   |  |     | 02/22/2007   | 02/21/2014      | Class A Common  | 32,863                     |  | 32,863   | D   |  |
| Option                                     | \$10.41  |                                      |  |                                |   |  |     | 02/22/2008   | 02/21/2015      | Class A Common  | 51,642                     |  | 51,642   | D   |  |
| Option                                     | \$9.09   |                                      |  |                                |   |  |     | 02/21/2009   | 02/20/2016      | Class A Common  | 70,422                     |  | 70,422   | D   |  |

**Explanation of Responses:**

- 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.
- 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.
- 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:**

/s/ Mary Denise Kuprionis,  
 Attorney-in-fact for Timothy E. Stautberg 03/09/2010  
 Stautberg

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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