#### CONTRERAS MARK G

Form 4

February 16, 2007

# FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * CONTRERAS MARK G			Symbol	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SCRIPPS E W CO /DE [SSP]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)						(Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner				
312 WALNUT STREET, 28TH FLOOR		02/15/2	02/15/2007					X Officer (give title Other (specify below) SVP/Newspapers					
				endment, Date Original onth/Day/Year)					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_Form filed by One Reporting Person				
CINCINNATI, OH 45202									Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned										ly Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction (Month/Day/Y	ear) Execution any	emed ion Date, if /Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8	8)	4. Securities Acquired ion(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)  (A) or 7. Amount (D) Price		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)				
Class A Common Shares, \$.01 par value per share	02/15/2007			F	•	370	D D	\$ 48.79	630	D			
Class A Common Shares, \$.01 par value per share	02/15/2007			F		365	D	\$ 48.79	773	D			

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Class A Common Shares, 5,694 D \$.01 par value per share Common Voting Shares, 0 D \$.01 par value per share

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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)					7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Pri Deriv Secur (Instr
				Code V	(A	a) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Option	\$ 46.46						02/15/2006	02/09/2013	Class A Common	15,000	
Option	\$ 48.91						02/22/2007	02/21/2014	Class A Common	17,500	
Option	\$ 44.75						03/29/2007	03/28/2014	Class A Common	15,000	

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			

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### **Signatures**

/s/M. Denise Kuprionis, Attorney-in-fact for Mark G. Contreras

02/16/2007

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

### **Explanation of Responses:**

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