

SCRIPPS E W CO /DE
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**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Lyons Douglas F

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
SCRIPPS E W CO /DE [SSP]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
312 WALNUT STREET

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
03/05/2009

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
Vice President and Controller

CINCINNATI, OH 45202

(City) (State) (Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D) Price			
Class A Common Shares, \$.01 par value per share					16,692	D	
Common Voting Shares, \$.01 par value per share					0	D	

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

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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. 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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0.86	03/05/2009		A	174,418	03/05/2010	03/05/2012	Restricted Stock Units	174,418
Option	\$ 6.87					01/25/2002	01/24/2011	Class A Common	5,600
Option	\$ 8.01					02/20/2003	02/19/2012	Class A Common	5,600
Option	\$ 8.52					02/26/2004	02/25/2013	Class A Common	5,600
Option	\$ 10.47					02/25/2005	02/24/2014	Class A Common	6,500
Option	\$ 9.9					02/10/2006	02/09/2013	Class A Common	6,500
Option	\$ 10.44					02/22/2007	02/21/2014	Class A Common	18,600
Option	\$ 10.35					10/06/2007	10/05/2014	Class A Common	17,200
Option	\$ 10.41					02/22/2008	02/21/2015	Class A Common	34,400
Option	\$ 9.09					02/21/2009	02/20/2016	Class A Common	46,900

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
			Vice President and Controller	

Lyons Douglas F
312 WALNUT STREET
CINCINNATI, OH 45202

Signatures

/s/ Mary Denise Kuprionis, Attorney-in-fact for Douglas F.
Lyons

03/09/2009

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. *See* 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) This restricted stock unit award will vest in equal parts on March 5, 2010, 2011 and 2012. Upon vesting, each restricted stock unit will convert into one Class A Common share of the Company based on the closing price of the Company's shares on the vesting date.

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