SCRIPPS E W CO /DE

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading STAUTBERG TIMOTHY E Issuer Symbol SCRIPPS E W CO /DE [SSP] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify 312 WALNUT STREET, 28TH 02/21/2009 below) **FLOOR** Senior VP & CFO (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

CINCINNATI, OH 45202

CINCINNATI, OH 45202							Person			
	(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Table	I - Non-De	erivative S	ecuri	ties Acc	quired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficial	ly 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. Securit onAcquired Disposed (Instr. 3,	(A) o of (D)	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)
	Class A Common Shares, \$.01 par value per share	02/21/2009		F	200 (1)	D	\$ 1.4	40,151 <u>(1)</u>	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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Dr.Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) e		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Pri Deriv Secun (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Option	\$ 5.22					01/24/2001	01/23/2010	Class A Common	7,511	
Option	\$ 6.87					01/25/2002	01/24/2011	Class A Common	8,450	
Option	\$ 8.01					02/20/2003	02/19/2012	Class A Common	28,169	
Option	\$ 8.52					02/26/2004	02/25/2013	Class A Common	22,535	
Option	\$ 10.38					03/23/2005	03/22/2014	Class A Common	21,126	
Option	\$ 9.9					02/10/2006	02/09/2013	Class A Common	14,084	
Option	\$ 10.44					02/22/2007	02/21/2014	Class A Common	32,863	
Option	\$ 10.41					02/22/2008	02/21/2015	Class A Common	51,642	
Option	\$ 9.09					02/21/2009	02/20/2016	Class A Common	70,422	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Senior VP & CFO

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STAUTBERG TIMOTHY E 312 WALNUT STREET, 28TH FLOOR CINCINNATI, OH 45202

Signatures

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

02/24/2009

**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) A restricted share award vested on February 21, 2009. The disposed shares were used to pay taxes.

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