HAYDEN JOHN W Form 4

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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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 * HAYDEN JOHN W			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) 312 WALNUT STREET, 28TH FLOOR			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/31/2010				(Check all applicable) _X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)			
CINCINNAT	(Street) II, OH 45202			ndment, Dat th/Day/Year)	e Original		Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by	Joint/Group Filis One Reporting Po More than One Re	erson	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned							
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction I (Month/Day/Ye	ear) Executi any	emed on Date, if /Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	Disposed (Instr. 3,	(A) or 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							333	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 orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exerci Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Y	e	7. Title and Amount Underlying Securitie (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou Numb Share
Phantom Stock	(1)	03/31/2010		J	1,627.22	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Class A Common	1,62
Option	\$ 6.63					08/07/2009	08/06/2018	Class A Common	104
Restricted Stock Units	(2)					05/05/2009	05/05/2010	Restricted Stock Units	34,

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

HAYDEN JOHN W 312 WALNUT STREET, 28TH FLOOR X CINCINNATI, OH 45202

Signatures

/s/ Mary Denise Kuprionis, Attorney-in-fact for John W. Hayden

04/02/2010

**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).
- Pursuant to the company's 1997 Deferred Compensation and Stock Plan for Directors, directors may defer fees into a phantom stock fund.

 Under this plan, fees are converted quarterly into phantom shares at the fair market value of the company's Class A Common Shares on the last trading day of each quarter. Upon retirement as a director or at another specified date, the balance may be paid in either shares or
- (2) This restricted stock unit award will vest on May 5, 2010. Upon vesting, each restricted stock unit will convert into one Class A Common share of the Company.

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