

SCRIPPS E W CO /DE  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**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 \*  
**BOEHNE RICHARD A**

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
312 WALNUT STREET, 28TH FLOOR  
(Street)

CINCINNATI, OH 45202

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
02/15/2006

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
Executive VP

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
\_\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**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)
			Code	V	Amount (D) Price		
Class A Common Shares, \$.01 par value per share	02/15/2006		F		1,555 D \$ 49.92	2,998 <sup>(1)</sup>	I Wife's Trust
Class A Common Shares, \$.01 par value per share						6,682	I Wife's Trust

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Class A  
Common  
Shares,  
\$.01 par  
value per  
share

30,670 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)	8. P... Der... Sec... (Ins...	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Option	\$ 23.655					01/19/2000	01/18/2009	Class A Common	40,000
Option	\$ 20.765					02/25/2000	02/24/2009	Class A Common	30,000
Option	\$ 24.5					01/24/2001	01/23/2010	Class A Common	80,000
Option	\$ 32.125					01/25/2002	01/24/2011	Class A Common	100,000
Option	\$ 37.555					02/20/2003	02/19/2012	Class A Common	120,000
Option	\$ 39.985					02/26/2004	02/25/2013	Class A Common	110,000

Option	\$ 48.71	03/23/2005	03/22/2014	Class A Common	90,000
Option	\$ 46.46	02/15/2006	02/09/2013	Class A Common	60,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
BOEHNE RICHARD A 312 WALNUT STREET, 28TH FLOOR CINCINNATI, OH 45202				Executive VP

## Signatures

/s/ M. Denise Kuprionis, Attorney-in-fact for Richard A.  
Boehne

02/17/2006

\_\_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 transaction is the result of a 25% vesting of a 2/10/05 share award which was performance based and such performance added 506 shares to the total award.

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