

E.W. SCRIPPS Co  
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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 \*  
SCRIPPS EDWARD W

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O MIRAMAR SERVICES,  
INC., 250 GRANDVIEW AVE.,  
SUITE 400

(Street)

FT. MITCHELL, KY 41017

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
E.W. SCRIPPS Co [SSP]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
03/01/2017

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

\_X\_ 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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				(A) or (D)	Price			
				Code	V	Amount		
Class A Common Shares, \$.01 par value per share	03/01/2017		M	10,661	A	\$ 8.14	10,661	D
Class A Common Shares, \$.01 par value per	03/01/2017		J <sup>(1)</sup>	662,593	A	\$ 23.64	673,254	D

share

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

03/01/2017	J <sup>(1)</sup>	662,593	D	\$ 23.64	10,661 <sup>(2)</sup>	I	By GRAT
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Common  
Voting  
Shares,  
\$.01 par  
value per  
share

03/01/2017	J <sup>(3)</sup>	31,197	A	\$ 23.64	31,197	D	
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Common  
Voting  
Shares,  
\$.01 par  
value per  
share

03/01/2017	J <sup>(3)</sup>	31,197	D	\$ 23.64	586,119	I	By GRAT
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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 or Number of Shares
Option	\$ 8.14	03/01/2017		M	10,661	04/26/2008 04/25/2017	Class A Common Shares 10,661

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

SCRIPPS EDWARD W  
C/O MIRAMAR SERVICES, INC.  
250 GRANDVIEW AVE., SUITE 400  
FT. MITCHELL, KY 41017

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## Signatures

/s/ Tracy Tunney Ward on behalf of Miramar Services, Inc. as Attorney-In-Fact for Edward W. Scripps Jr.

03/03/2017

\_\_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) On March 1, 2017, the reporting person exchanged assets of equal value for 662,593 Class A Common Shares, which were valued based on the average of the high and low market price of the Class A Common Shares on such date, with a grantor retained annuity trust of which the reporting person is trustee. As a result, these Class A Common Shares are again directly owned by the reporting person.
  - (2) These shares were previously reported as indirectly beneficially owned through a revocable living trust, but such shares were contributed to a grantor retained annuity trust of which the reporting person is trustee on September 9, 2016.
  - (3) On March 1, 2017, the reporting person exchanged assets of equal value for 31,197 Common Voting Shares, which were valued based on the average of the high and low market price of the Class A Common Shares on such date, with a grantor retained annuity trust of which the reporting person is trustee. As a result, these Common Voting Shares are again directly owned by the reporting person.

### Remarks:

The reporting person may be deemed to have shared voting power with respect to more than 10% of the Class A Common Shares.

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