

BOEHNE RICHARD A
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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)
 09/15/2008

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)
 President & CEO

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)
			Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price
Class A Common Shares, \$.01 par value per share	09/15/2008		M		28,169	A	\$ 4.44
Class A Common Shares, \$.01 par value per share					9,234	I	Wife's Trust

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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	\$ 4.44	09/15/2008		M	28,169	02/25/2000 02/24/2009	Class A Common 28,169
Option	\$ 5.22					01/24/2001 01/23/2010	Class A Common 75,117
Option	\$ 6.87					01/25/2002 01/24/2011	Class A Common 93,896
Option	\$ 8.01					02/20/2003 02/19/2012	Class A Common 112,676
Option	\$ 8.52					02/26/2004 02/25/2013	Class A Common 103,286
Option	\$ 10.38					03/23/2005 03/22/2014	Class A Common 84,507
Option	\$ 9.9					02/10/2006 02/09/2013	Class A Common 56,338
Option	\$ 9.54					03/29/2007 03/28/2014	Class A Common 117,370
Option	\$ 10.41					02/22/2008 02/21/2015	Class A Common 258,215
Option	\$ 9.09					02/21/2009 02/20/2016	Class A Common 410,798
Option	\$ 9.54					03/29/2007 03/28/2014	Class A Common 46,948

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Reporting Owners

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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

BOEHNE RICHARD A
312 WALNUT STREET, 28TH FLOOR X President & CEO
CINCINNATI, OH 45202

Signatures

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

09/17/2008

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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