#### **MEREDITH CORP**

Form 4 March 12, 2008

# FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * RADIA SUKU V			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol MEREDITH CORP [MDP]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(Last) (First) (Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Chook an approvers)			
1716 LOCUST	16 LOCUST STREET		(Month/Day/Year) 03/10/2008	Director 10% Owner _X Officer (give title Other (specify below)  VP - Chief Financial Officer			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
DES MOINES, IA 50309-3023			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative	Secui	rities Acquir	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securition Dispose (Instr. 3, 4	ed of (		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)
Common Stock (\$1 par value)	03/10/2008		M		A	\$ 39.05	30,365	D	
Common Stock (\$1 par value)	03/10/2008		M	22,500	A	\$ 34.8	52,865	D	
Common Stock (\$1 par value)	03/10/2008		M	18,000	A	\$ 28.0625	70,865	D	

Common Stock (\$1 par value)	03/10/2008	M	10,500	A	\$ 28.4375	81,365	D
Common Stock (\$1 par value)	03/10/2008	F	5,625	D	\$ 40.645	75,740	D
Common Stock (\$1 par value)	03/10/2008	S	100	D	\$ 38.32	75,640	D
Common Stock (\$1 par value)	03/10/2008	S	700	D	\$ 38.33	74,940	D
Common Stock (\$1 par value)	03/10/2008	S	600	D	\$ 38.34	74,340	D
Common Stock (\$1 par value)	03/10/2008	S	600	D	\$ 38.35	73,740	D
Common Stock (\$1 par value)	03/10/2008	S	200	D	\$ 38.36	73,540	D
Common Stock (\$1 par value)	03/10/2008	S	400	D	\$ 38.37	73,140	D
Common Stock (\$1 par value)	03/10/2008	S	300	D	\$ 38.38	72,840	D
Common Stock (\$1 par value)	03/10/2008	S	200	D	\$ 38.39	72,640	D
Common Stock (\$1 par value)	03/10/2008	S	500	D	\$ 38.4	72,140	D
	03/10/2008	S	500	D	\$ 38.42	71,640	D

Common Stock (\$1 par value)							
Common Stock (\$1 par value)	03/10/2008	S	375	D	\$ 38.43	71,265	D
Common Stock (\$1 par value)	03/10/2008	S	400	D	\$ 38.44	70,865	D
Common Stock (\$1 par value)	03/10/2008	S	200	D	\$ 38.45	70,665	D
Common Stock (\$1 par value)	03/10/2008	S	500	D	\$ 38.52	70,165	D
Common Stock (\$1 par value)	03/10/2008	S	300	D	\$ 38.53	69,865	D
Common Stock (\$1 par value)	03/10/2008	S	100	D	\$ 38.54	69,765	D
Common Stock (\$1 par value)	03/10/2008	S	300	D	\$ 38.55	69,465	D
Common Stock (\$1 par value)	03/10/2008	S	500	D	\$ 38.56	68,965	D
Common Stock (\$1 par value)	03/10/2008	S	100	D	\$ 38.57	68,865	D
Common Stock (\$1 par value)	03/10/2008	S	300	D	\$ 38.58	68,565	D
	03/10/2008	S	1,000	D	\$ 38.59	67,565	D

Common Stock (\$1 par value)							
Common Stock (\$1 par value)	03/10/2008	S	900	D	\$ 38.6	66,665	D
Common Stock (\$1 par value)	03/10/2008	S	200	D	\$ 38.61	66,465	D
Common Stock (\$1 par value)	03/10/2008	S	400	D	\$ 38.62	66,065	D
Common Stock (\$1 par value)	03/10/2008	S	400	D	\$ 38.63	65,665	D

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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. Transac Code (Instr. 8	5. stionNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)	5	ate	7. Tit. Amou Under Secur (Instr	unt of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
					(Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number	
				Code	V (A) (D)				Shares	

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## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

RADIA SUKU V 1716 LOCUST STREET DES MOINES, IA 50309-3023

VP - Chief Financial Officer

## **Signatures**

SUKU V. RADIA 03/12/2008

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Shares held by the reporting person in street name.

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