

MEREDITH CORP
Form 4
January 31, 2017

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. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Harty Thomas H

(Last) (First) (Middle)

1716 LOCUST STREET

(Street)

DES MOINES, IA 50309

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol

MEREDITH CORP [MDP]

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

12/14/2016

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
____X____ Officer (give title below) ____ Other (specify below)

President and COO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
____X____ Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock (\$1 par value) ⁽¹⁾	12/14/2016		G		605	D	\$ 0	2,004	I	by Managed Account
Common Stock (Restricted) (\$1 par value) ⁽²⁾	01/28/2017		F		501	D	\$ 61.6	9,336	D	
Common Stock (Restricted) (\$1 par	01/28/2017		M		742	D	\$ 61.6	8,594	D	

value) ⁽²⁾

Common

Stock (\$1	01/28/2017	M	742	A	\$ 61.6	13,695	D
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par value) ⁽³⁾

Common

Stock (\$1	01/30/2017	M	10,000	A	\$ 53.9	23,695	D
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par value) ⁽³⁾

Common

Stock (\$1	01/30/2017	F	9,250	D	\$ 60.95	14,445	D
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par value) ⁽³⁾

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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)			
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	01/28/2017		A		990		<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock (\$1 par value)	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 53.9	01/30/2017		M		10,000		08/07/2010	08/07/2017	Common Stock (\$1 par value)	10,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
Harty Thomas H 1716 LOCUST STREET DES MOINES, IA 50309	President and COO

Signatures

By: Kara Brodell, by Power of Attorney For: Thomas H.
Harty

01/31/2017

__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) Shares held in the reporting person's Meredith Corporation Employee Stock Purchase Plan account. Quarterly dividends are paid in the form of additional Common Stock, \$1 par value.
- (2) Shares were awarded pursuant to the Meredith Corporation Stock Incentive Plans. The shares are subject to forfeiture and are nontransferable until vested, either on the third or the fifth anniversary of the grant date, as specified in each award agreement.
- (3) Shares held by the reporting person in street name.
- (4) Restricted Stock Units granted pursuant to Meredith Corporation's 2014 Stock Incentive Plan which will be converted to Common Stock (\$1 par value) on a one-for-one basis upon the completion of a five year period of service. Quarterly dividends are paid in cash.

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