MEREDITH CORP

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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 * LACY STEPHEN M			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MEREDITH CORP [MDP]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction					
1716 LOCUST STREET			(Month/Day/Year) 05/03/2016	_X Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below)		
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person		
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(City)	(State) (Z	Table Table	I - Non-D	erivative Se	curiti	es Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficial	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securiti on(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4	posed	of (D)	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) (1)	05/03/2016		A	26,935	A	\$ 51.65	52,202	D	
Common Stock (Restricted) (\$1 par value) (2)							25,114	D	
Common Stock (\$1 par value) (3)							12,004.4836	Ι	by Managed Account

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Common

Stock (\$1 2,600 D

par value) (4)

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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	Secu Acqu Disp		6. Date Exercis Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Y	e	7. Title and Am Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 0	05/03/2016		A		145,000	08/08/1988	08/08/1988	Non-Qualific Stock Optio (right to buy
Stock equivalent units (6)	\$ 0						08/08/1988	08/08/1988	Common Stock (\$1 pa value)
Restricted Stock Units (7)	\$ 0						08/08/1988	08/08/1988	Common Stock (\$1 pa value)

Relationships

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address				
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other

LACY STEPHEN M

1716 LOCUST STREET X Chairman, President & CEO

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Signatures

By: Andrew Kane, by Power of Attorney For: Stephen M.

Lacy 05/04/2016

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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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.
- (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 in reporting person's IRA and Meredith Corp. Savings & Investment Plan accounts, upon which quarterly dividends are paid in the form of additional Common Stock (\$1 par value).
- (4) Shares held by reporting person in a registered account & in street name account with spouse.
- Nonqualified stock options granted pursuant to the Meredith Corporation Stock Incentive Plan. Each becomes exercisable in its entirety on the third anniversary of the grant date, expires on the tenth anniversary of the grant date, and has an exercise price as specified in the award agreement.
- Stock equivalent units issued pursuant to Meredith Corporation's Deferred Compensation Plan or Stock Incentive Plan which will be converted to Common Stock (\$1 par value) on a one-for-one basis in connection with the reporting person's retirement from or termination of Meredith Corporation employment.
- (7) 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 three-year period of service.

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