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| (Print or Type Res | ponses) | | | | | | | | | |
| 1. Name and Add Harty Thomas | Symbol | • | | | | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer | | | | |
| (Last) | (First) (Middle) | | MEREDITH CORP [MDP] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction | | | (Check all applicable) | | | | |
| 1716 LOCUST | (Month/Day/ | (Month/Day/Year) 12/14/2017 | | | | X Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) President and COO | | | | |
| DES MOINES | | 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 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | | |
| (City) | (State) (Zip) | Table I | - Non-Deri | ivative Se | curiti | es Acq | uired, Disposed of | , or Beneficial | ly Owned | |
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date 2A (Month/Day/Year) Exc any (Mo | ecution Date, if | 3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8) Code V | Disposed (Instr. 3, | (A) of (D d of (D d and (A) or |)) | 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) | 12/14/2017 | | G | 2,004 | D | \$0 | 0 | Ι | by Managed Account | |
| Common Stock ($\$1$ par value) (2) | | | | | | | 21,636 | D | | |
| Common Stock (Restricted) (\$1 par value) (3) | | | | | | | 2,594 | D | | |

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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number conf 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) | | 8. Pr Deriv Secu (Inst |
|---|---|---|---|---------------------------------------|---|--|--------------------|---|--|---------------------------------|
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | |
| Restricted Stock Units | \$ 0 | 01/27/2018 | | А | 1,588 | <u>(4)</u> | <u>(4)</u> | Common Stock (\$1 par value) | 1,588 | \$ |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------------|-------|--|--|--|--|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | | | |
| Harty Thomas H 1716 LOCUST STREET DES MOINES, IA 50309 | Х | | President and | COO | | | | |
| Signatures | | | | | | | | |
| By: Kara Brodell, by Power of Harty | 01/30/2018 | | | | | | | |

Explanation of Responses:

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

**Signature of Reporting Person

- ** 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 on these shares are paid in the form of additional Common Stock, \$1 par value.

Date

- (2) Shares held by the reporting person in a street name account.
- (3) 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.

(4)

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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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