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# FORM 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* Cody John E

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Gannett Co., Inc. [GCI]

(Check all applicable)

(First) (Middle) (Last)

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

X\_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify

C/O GANNETT CO., INC., 7950 JONES BRANCH DRIVE

4. If Amendment, Date Original

(Instr. 8)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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05/10/2016

Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

below)

MCLEAN, VA 22107

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

7. Nature of 6. Ownership Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial (I) Ownership (Instr. 4)

(Instr. 4)

(A) or Code V Amount (D) Price

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 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

Conversion or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

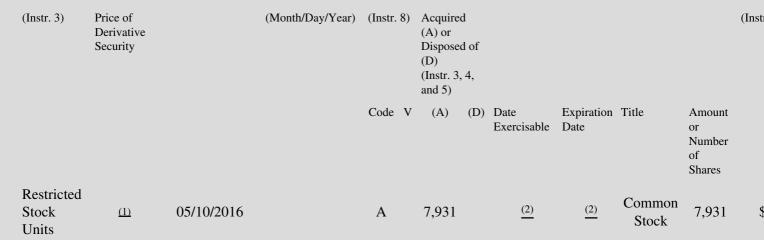
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5. Number Transaction of Derivative Expiration Date Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of 8. Pr **Underlying Securities** Deri (Instr. 3 and 4) Secu

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## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Cody John E

C/O GANNETT CO., INC.
7950 JONES BRANCH DRIVE

MCLEAN, VA 22107

## **Signatures**

/s/ Elizabeth A. Allen, Attorney-in-Fact

05/11/2016

\*\*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) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of the issuer's common stock.
- (2) The restricted stock units vest in four equal quarterly installments beginning on August 1, 2016. Vested shares will be delivered to the reporting person as soon as administratively practicable upon the reporting person's separation from service with the issuer.

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