MEREDITH CORP

Form 4

August 04, 2014

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * HENRY FREDERICK B

Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Last) (First)

(Middle)

MEREDITH CORP [MDP]

(Check all applicable)

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

_X__ Director Officer (give title below)

10% Owner Other (specify

1716 LOCUST STREET 08/04/2014

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

DES MOINES, IA 50309-3023

(City)

Stock

(Street)

(State)

(Zip)

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

| | | | | | - | , . , | • | , |
|---|---|---|--|------------------|--|--|---|-----------------------|
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) our Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
| Common | | Code V | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | (I) (Instr. 4) | |
| Common Stock (\$1 par value) (1) | 08/04/2014 | M | 6,000 | A | \$ 28.24 | 44,201 | D | |
| Common Stock (\$1 par value) (1) | 08/04/2014 | M | 3,615 | A | \$ 26.55 | 47,816 | D | |
| Class B Common Stock (\$1 par value) | | | | | | 366,821 | I | Held by family Trusts |
| Common | | | | | | 2,616 | D | |

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| (Restricted) (\$1 par value) (2) | | | | | | | |
|---|------------|---|-------|---|---------------|--------|---|
| Common Stock (\$1 par value) (1) (3) | 08/04/2014 | S | 5,770 | D | \$ 46.01 | 42,046 | D |
| Common Stock (\$1 par value) (1) (3) | 08/04/2014 | S | 3,845 | D | \$ 45.9031 | 38,201 | D |

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) | 5. Number on 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 Amour Underlying Securit (Instr. 3 and 4) | |
|---|---|---|---|--|---|--|--------------------|--|---------------------|
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amo Num Share |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 28.24 | 08/04/2014 | | M | 6,000 | 11/05/2010 | 11/05/2019 | Common Stock (\$1 par value) | 6, |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 26.55 | 08/04/2014 | | M | 3,615 | 11/09/2012 | 11/09/2021 | Common Stock (\$1 par value) | 3, |
| Stock equivalent units (5) | \$ 0 | | | | | 08/08/1988 | 08/08/1988 | Common Stock (\$1 par value) | - |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

HENRY FREDERICK B 1716 LOCUST STREET X DES MOINES, IA 50309-3023

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By: Teresa T. Rinker, by Power of Attorney For: Frederick B. Henry

07/31/2014

**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.
- This restricted stock was awarded pursuant to the Amended and Restated Meredith Corporation 2004 Stock Incentive Plan. The shares are subject to forfeiture and nontransferable until vested. Restrictions on the shares lapse on 1/3 of the shares per year for three years commencing on the first anniversary of the grant date.
- (3) The price reported in column 4 is a weighted average price.
 - Nonqualified stock options awarded pursuant to the Meredith Corporation 2004 Stock Incentive Plan, which become exercisable
- (4) one-third per year over a three-year period beginning on the first anniversary of the grant date, expire on the tenth anniversary of the grant date, and have exercise prices as specified in each award agreement.
- Stock equivalents issued pursuant to the Meredith Corporation 2004 Stock Incentive Plan (the "Plan"), which will be converted to (5) Common Stock (\$1 par value) on a one-for-one basis upon the reporting person's retirement from or termination of service on the Meredith Board of Directors. Quarterly dividends are accrued in the form of additional stock equivalents.

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