FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  Saridakis Christopher D  (Last) (First) (Middle)  GANNETT CO., INC.  7950 JONES BRANCH DRIVE					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GANNETT CO INC /DE/ [ GCI ]  3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/01/2010									ationship of F c all applicab Director Officer (g	le)	Person	10% Ow Other (s	ner	
														below) Senior VP & Chief D			below) Digital Ofc.		
(Street)  MCLEAN VA 22107  (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Indiv	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
			Table I - Non-	Deriva	ative S	Securitie	s Ac	quired	Dis	posed	of, or B	enef	icially C	wned					
Date			2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		2A. Deemed Execution Date if any (Month/Day/Yea		Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) of Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4				5. Amount Securities Beneficially Following		6. Owner Form: Di (D) or Ind (I) (Instr.	Direct I Indirect E tr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
								Code	v	Amount	(A)	or	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)	
			Table II - D (e			ecurities alls, warr								vned					
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)	Transaction Code (Instr. ) 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Expiration (Month/D	n Date		7. Title and Amou Securities Underl Derivative Securi (Instr. 3 and 4)		erlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Numb derivativ Securitie Benefici Owned Followin Reporter Transact	ve es ally ig d	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisal		xpiration ate	Title		ount or nber of res		(Instr. 4)				
Phantom Stock	(1)	02/01/2010		A		1,618.3549		(2)		(2)	Common Stock	1,6	18.3549	\$15.02	3,648.	.062	D		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Each share of phantom stock is the economic equivalent of one share of Gannett Common Stock.
- 2. Each share of phantom stock is payable in cash or stock, at the election of the reporting person, on various dates selected by the reporting person or as otherwise provided in the Issuer's Deferred Compensation Plan.

# Remarks:

/s/ Todd A. Mayman, Attorney-

in-Fact

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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- $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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