#### **MEREDITH CORP**

Form 4/A

September 04, 2012

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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may continue. See Instruction 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** LACY STEPHEN M			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol MEREDITH CORP [MDP]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction					(Check all applicable)			
1716 LOCUS	` '	(Madic)	(Month/Day 08/13/202	y/Year)	iisaction			_X_ Director _X_ Officer (give below) Chairman		6 Owner er (specify CEO	
	4. If Amend	4. If Amendment, Date Original					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check				
		Filed(Month/Day/Year)				Applicable Line)					
DES MOINE	08/13/2012					_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table	I - Non-De	erivative Se	curitie	s Acqu	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficia	lly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)		Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transactior(A any Code (In (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8)			(Instr. 3,	sposed	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)	·							10,988	I	by Managed Account	
Common Stock (Restricted) (\$1 par value) (2)	08/13/201	2		F	13,758	D	\$ 34.3	90,502	D		
Common Stock (\$1 par value) (3)	r							27,516	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	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4. 5. TransactionNumber		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities	
Security	or Exercise	(Mondif Buyl Tear)	any	Code of		(Month/Day/Year)		(Instr. 3 and 4)	
(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	e			
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount of Number of Shares
Stock equivalent units (4)	\$ 0					08/08/1988	08/08/1988	Common Stock (\$1 par value)	50,14
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 0					08/08/1988	08/08/1988	Common Stock (\$1 par value)	1,341,3

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
<b></b>	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
LACY STEPHEN M								
1716 LOCUST STREET	X		Chairman, President & CEO					
DES MOINES 1A 50309-3023								

### **Signatures**

By: Teresa T. Rinker, by Power of Attorney For: Stephen M. 09/04/2012 Lacy

\*\*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).
- 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).

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- (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 by reporting person in a registered account & in street name account with spouse.
- Stock equivalents issued pursuant to Meredith Corporation's Deferred Compensation Plan or Stock Incentive Plan which will be (4) 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.
- Nonqualified stock options granted pursuant to the Meredith Corporation Stock Incentive Plan. Each becomes exercisable in its entirety (5) on the third anniversary of the grant date, expires on the 10th anniversary of the grant date, and has an exercise price as specified in the award agreement.
- (6) Exercise of the nonqualified stock options and withholding of a portion of the exercise shares to pay the exercise price and taxes were previously reported in error. The transactions did not take place.

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