#### MARTORE GRACIA C

Form 4

December 11, 2012

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MARTORE GRACIA C			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GANNETT CO INC /DE/ [GCI]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)		
GANNETT C BRANCH DR		7950 JONES	(Month/Day/Year) 12/07/2012	X Director 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (specify below)  President and CEO		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
MCLEAN, VA	A 22107		Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

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(City)	(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)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or ionDisposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)  (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	12/07/2012		Code V M	Amount 19,210	(D)	Price \$ 3.75	49,244	D		
Common Stock	12/07/2012		S	9,599 (1)	D	\$ 18	39,645	D		
Common Stock	12/10/2012		M	130,790	A	\$ 3.75	170,435	D		
Common Stock	12/10/2012		S	65,500 (1)	D	\$ 17.7303 (2)	104,935	D		
Common Stock	12/10/2012		G V	74,901 (1)	D	\$ 0	30,034	D		

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Common Stock 6,068 I By 401(k) Plan

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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) ) or (D)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 3.75	12/07/2012		M	19,210	(3)	02/24/2017	Common Stock	19,210
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 3.75	12/10/2012		M	130,790	(3)	02/24/2017	Common Stock	130,79

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
MARTORE GRACIA C GANNETT CO., INC.	X		President and CEO				
7950 JONES BRANCH DRIVE MCLEAN, VA 22107	71						

## **Signatures**

/s/ Todd A. Mayman, Attorney-in-Fact

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

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### **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) The reporting person sold only the shares needed to pay the option price and taxes. The remaining shares were gifted to a family trust for estate planning purposes.
- The price reported in Column 4 is the weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$17.56 to \$17.87, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to the issuer, any security holder of the issuer or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in this footnote.
- (3) The option is vested with respect to 150,000 shares and vests with respect to the remaining shares on February 25, 2013.

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