MEREDITH CORP

Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * COLEMAN MARY SUE			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MEREDITH CORP [MDP]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
(Last) 1716 LOCUS	(First) T STREET	(Middle)		arliest Transaction /Year)				(Check all applicable) _X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)		
DES MOINES	(Street)	3023	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			
DES MOINES, IA 50309-3023 — Form fried by More than One Reporting Person										
(City)	(State)	(Zip)					es Acqu	uired, Disposed o		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction (Month/Day/Y	Year) Execu	Deemed ation Date, if th/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	Disposed (Instr. 3,	d (A) o))	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						` ,				
(Restricted) (\$1 par value)	11/09/2011			A	1,879	A	\$0	2,857	D	
Common Stock (Restricted) (\$1 par value)	11/09/2011			A	1,884	A	\$ 0	4,741	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)	on Date 3A. Deemed 4. /Year) Execution Date, if Tran any Code (Month/Day/Year) (Inst		5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amou Underlying Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Am or Nu of S
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 26.55	11/09/2011		A	10,845	11/09/2012	11/09/2021	Common Stock (\$1 par value)	10

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
• 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
COLEMAN MARY SUE 1716 LOCUST STREET DES MOINES, IA 50309-3023	X					

Signatures

By: Teresa T. Rinker, by Power of Attorney For: Mary Sue Coleman

**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).
- 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.
- This option was awarded pursuant to the Amended and Restated Meredith Corporation 2004 Stock Incentive Plan, becomes exercisable one-third per year over a three-year period beginning on the first anniversary of the grant date, and expires on the tenth anniversary of the grant date.

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