

MEREDITH CORP  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

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

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
1716 LOCUST STREET  
(Street)

DES MOINES, IA 50309-3023

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**MEREDITH CORP [MDP]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
08/15/2013

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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**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) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 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) |
|---|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
|   |                                      |  | Code                           | V   | Amount  | (D)  | Price   |
| Common Stock (\$1 par value) <sup>(1)</sup> | 08/15/2013                           |  | M                              |   | 3,615   | A  | \$ 26.55  |
| Common Stock (\$1 par value) <sup>(1)</sup> | 08/15/2013                           |  | M                              |   | 6,000   | A  | \$ 18.56  |
| Common Stock (\$1 par value) <sup>(1)</sup> | 08/15/2013                           |  | S                              |   | 9,615   | D  | \$ 44.951   |
| Common Stock (Restricted)                   |                                      |  |                                |   |   |  | 3,293   |

(\$1 par value) <sup>(3)</sup>

|                                      |         |   |                       |
|--------------------------------------|---------|---|-----------------------|
| Common Stock (\$1 par value)         | 38,214  | I | Held by family Trusts |
| Class B Common Stock (\$1 par value) | 366,821 | I | Held by family Trusts |

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of 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 Amount of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4) |       |        |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|-------|--------|
|  |  |                                      |  | Code                           | V (A) (D)   | Date Exercisable   | Expiration Date   | Title | Amount |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) <sup>(4)</sup> | \$ 26.55   | 08/15/2013                           |  | M                              | 3,615   | 11/09/2012 11/09/2021                                    | Common Stock (\$1 par value)                                | 3,615 |        |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) <sup>(4)</sup> | \$ 18.56   | 08/15/2013                           |  | M                              | 6,000   | 11/06/2009 11/06/2018                                    | Common Stock (\$1 par value)                                | 6,000 |        |
| Stock equivalent units <sup>(5)</sup>                    | \$ 0   |                                      |  |                                |   | 08/08/1988 08/08/1988                                    | Common Stock (\$1 par value)                                | 1,920 |        |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships |           |         |       |
|--------------------------------|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
|                                | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |

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## Signatures

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

08/16/2013

\_\_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.  
  
Henry, Frederick B.: The price reported in column 4 is a weighted average price. The shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$44.88 to \$45.05, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide Meredith, any securityholder of Meredith Corporation, or the Staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, separate prices within the range set forth in footnote (2) to this Form 4.
- (2) 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) Nonqualified stock options awarded pursuant to the Meredith Corporation 2004 Stock Incentive Plan, which become exercisable 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.
- (4) Stock equivalents issued pursuant to the Meredith Corporation 2004 Stock Incentive Plan (the "Plan"), which will be converted to 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.
- (5)

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