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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Horning Roxanne V

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Senior VP/Human Resources

Symbol GANNETT CO INC /DE/ [GCI]

(Last) (First)

(Middle)

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

Director

10% Owner _ Other (specify

GANNETT CO., INC., 7950 JONES

(Street)

03/02/2010

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

_X__ Officer (give title below)

BRANCH DRIVE

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

MCLEAN, VA 22107

| (City) | (State) | (Zip) Tabl | e I - Non-D | erivative | Secur | ities Acq | uired, Disposed o | f, or Beneficial | ly Owned |
|--------------------------------------|---|---|--|--------------------------------|------------------------------|-------------|--|--|---|
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securion(A) or D (Instr. 3, | ispose 4 and (A) or | d 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 | 03/02/2010 | | M | 8,500 | A | \$ 3.75 | 11,220.928 | D | |
| Common Stock | 03/02/2010 | | S | 8,500 | D | \$ 15.97 | 2,720.928 | D | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | 3,774.919 | 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. Transactio 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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | | 8 1 9 (| |
|---|---|--------------------------------------|---|--|---|--|--------------------|---|--|------------------|--|
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 3.75 | 03/02/2010 | | M | 8,500 | <u>(1)</u> | 02/24/2017 | Common Stock | 8,500 | | |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Horning Roxanne V GANNETT CO., INC. 7950 JONES BRANCH DRIVE MCLEAN, VA 22107

Senior VP/Human Resources

Signatures

/s/ Todd A. Mayman, Attorney-in-Fact 03/02/2010

**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) The option vested as to 8,500 shares on February 25, 2010 and vests as to the remaining shares in three equal annual installments beginning on February 25, 2011.

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