A. H. Belo Corp Form 4 March 08, 2017

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Purcell Leslie Nicole			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol A. H. Belo Corp [AHC]			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	Middle)	3. Date of	Earliest Tra	ansaction	(Cir.	cek an applicati	c)	
508 YOUNG	G STREET		(Month/Day/Year) 03/08/2017			Director _X_ Officer (gi below) SVP/0	ve title 0th below) Chief Digital Off	er (specify	
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table	e I - Non-D	erivative Securities Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Da (Month/Day/Year		med on Date, if	3. Transaction Code	4. Securities onAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial	

		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)  Code V	(Instr. 3,	(A) or (D)	5)	Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)
Series A Common Stock	03/08/2017		M	1,748 (1)	A	<u>(2)</u>	1,748	D	
Series A Common Stock	03/08/2017		D(3)	700 (3)	D	\$ 6.3	1,048	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)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. 5. Number Transaction Derivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		of Derivative Expiration Date Gecurities (Month/Day/Year) Acquired A) or Disposed of D) Instr. 3, 4,		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units (Time-Based)	(2)	03/08/2017		M	1,748	<u>(5)</u>	(5)	Series A Common Stock	1,748 (2)

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## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	orting Owner Name / Address				
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	

Purcell Leslie Nicole 508 YOUNG STREET DALLAS, TX 75202

SVP/Chief Digital Officer

## **Signatures**

/s/ Christine E. Larkin, Attorney-In-Fact

03/08/2017

\*\*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 number of shares shown represents the time-based restricted stock units (TBRSUs) that vest and were paid on March 8, 2017. These TBRSUs were awarded on March 3, 2016.
- (2) Each TBRSU represents a contingent right to receive the value of one share of A. H. Belo Corporation Series A Common Stock. TBRSUs are valued as of the date of vesting and are paid 60% in shares of A. H. Belo Corporation Series A Common Stock and 40% in cash.
- (3) The number of shares shown represents the settlement of the 40% cash portion of TBRSUs that vested and were paid on March 8, 2017. Pursuant to SEC guidance, settlement of the cash portion is deemed a disposition of shares to the Company.
- (4) These TBRSUs were awarded on March 3, 2016.
- (5) These TBRSUs vest 100% and are paid on the third trading day following the annual earnings release date for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2016.

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