SMITH J DUNCAN

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Form 3 Holdings Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section Reported Form 4

1(b).

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

Transactions Reported

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer SMITH J DUNCAN Symbol SINCLAIR BROADCAST GROUP (Check all applicable) INC [SBGI] (Middle) 3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Last) (First) _X_ Director _X__ 10% Owner _X__ Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) below) 12/31/2017 Secretary 10706 BEAVER DAM RD (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(check applicable line)

COCKEYSVILLE, MDÂ 21030

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(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	ole I - Non-Dei	rivative Secu	urities	Acqui	red, Disposed o	of, or Benefici	ally 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. Securitie (A) or Disp (Instr. 3, 4 a	osed o	of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Class B Common Stock	09/20/2017	Â	G(1)	500,000	D	\$0	6,436,312 (2)	D	Â
Class B Common Stock	09/20/2017	Â	A(3)	500,000	A	\$0	500,000	I	By Irrevocable Trust (4)

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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Titl	le and	8. Price of
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction	Number	Expiration D	ate	Amou	ınt of	Derivative
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	rlying	Security
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Secur	ities	(Instr. 5)
	Derivative				Securities			(Instr.	3 and 4)	
	Security				Acquired					
					(A) or					
					Disposed					
					of (D)					
					(Instr. 3,					
					4, and 5)					
									Amount	
									or	
						Date	Expiration	Title	Number	
						Exercisable	Date		of	
					(A) (D)				Shares	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
SMITH J DUNCAN 10706 BEAVER DAM RD COCKEYSVILLE, MD 21030	ÂX	ÂX	Secretary	Â			

Signatures

Clinton R. Black, V, Esq., on behalf of J. Duncan Smith, by Power of Attorney

01/03/2018

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**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) Gift to Trust f/b/o Reporting Person's children.
- The Reporting Person also directly owns (i) 185 shares of Class A Common Stock, and (ii)9556.644174 shares of Class A Common Stock held in a 401(k) unitized stock fund. The Reporting Person indirectly owns 137,154 shares of Class B Common Stock divided equally among three irrevocable trusts each for the benefit of a child of the Reporting Person of which the Reporting Person is a co-trustee.
- (3) Acquired by gift from Reporting Person.
- (4) The Reporting Person has the right to substitute the corpus of the trust.

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