GANNETT CO INC /DE/ Form 8-K January 11, 2008

# **UNITED STATES**

# SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

**CURRENT REPORT** 

### PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE

**SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934** 

Date of Report (date of earliest event reported):

January 7, 2008

GANNETT CO., INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

Delaware (State or Other Jurisdiction of 1-6961 (Commission File Number) 16-0442930 (I.R.S. Employer

**Incorporation or Organization of Registrant)** 

Identification No.)

7950 Jones Branch Drive, McLean,

Virginia (Address of principal executive offices)

22107-0910 (Zip Code)

(703) 854-6000

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

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### Not Applicable

 $(Former\ name\ or\ former\ address, if\ changed\ since\ last\ report.)$ 

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# Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

On January 7, 2008, Sue Clark-Johnson, president of Gannett s Newspaper Division, notified the Company that she plans to retire in May 2008.

### Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

A copy of the Company s press release announcing Ms. Clark-Johnson s planned retirement is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated herein by reference.

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#### **SIGNATURE**

Pursuant to requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Gannett Co., Inc.

Date: January 11, 2008 By: /s/ Todd A. Mayman

Todd A. Mayman

Vice President, Associate General Counsel, Secretary and Chief Governance Officer

### INDEX TO EXHIBITS

Exhibit No.

**Description**Press Release issued January 10, 2008. 99.1