The New Audit Bureau of Circuations
MAGAZINE
Publisher's Statement
Six months ended June 30, 2013
Subject to Audit

## Esquire

Field Served: ESQUIRE is a magazine encompassing all aspects of how a man thinks and lives.

Published by Hearst Communications, Inc.
Frequency: 11 times/year

## 1. TOTAL AVERAGE PAID \& VERIFIED CIRCULATION

| Average <br> for the |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Statement |  |  |  |
| Period | $\%$ | Rate Base | Above <br> (Below) |

Paid \& Verified Circulation: (See Par. 6)
Subscriptions:
Paid
Print
Digital (Replica)
Total Paid Subscriptions
Verified
Print
Total Verified Subscriptions
Total Paid \& Verified Subscriptions
$\begin{array}{rrr}588,868 \\ 51,367 \\ & \begin{array}{r}80.2 \\ 7.0 \\ \\ \\ \hline\end{array}, 2355.2\end{array}$

Single Copy Sales
Print
Digital (Replica)
Total Single Copy Sales
Total Paid \& Verified Circulation

| 3,324 | 0.4 |
| :---: | :---: |
| 3,324 | 0.4 |
| 643,559 | 87. |


| 82,621 |  | 11.3 |
| ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 8,126 |  | 1.1 |
| 90,747 |  | 12.4 |
| 734,306 |  | 100.0 | 700,000 34,306

4.9

## 2. PRICES

## Average Single Copy

Subscription

| Suggested <br> Retail Prices (1) | Average Price (2) <br> Gross (Optional) |
| :---: | :---: |
| $\$ 4.99$ |  |
| $\$ 7.97$ |  |
|  | $\$ 10.10$ |
|  | $\$ 0.92$ |

(1) For the Statement period
(2) Represents subscriptions for the 12 months ended December 31, 2012.
3. PAID \& VERIFIED CIRCULATION BY ISSUE OF PRINT AND DIGITAL REPLICA

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | cop Sales |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ssule | Print | ${ }_{\substack{\text { Digital } \\ \text { (Repilia) }}}^{\text {a }}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { Total } \\ \text { Paid } \\ \text { Subscriptions } \end{gathered}$ | Pint | $\begin{gathered} \text { Total } \\ \text { Verified } \\ \text { Subscriptions } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { Total } \\ \text { Paid } \\ \text { Subsififed } \\ \text { Subcrifions } \end{gathered}$ | Pint | $\left.\begin{array}{c} \text { Rigitial } \\ (\text { Repica }) \end{array}\right)$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Total } \\ & \text { Single Copy } \\ & \text { Sales } \end{aligned}$ |  |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { Total } \\ \text { Paid } \\ \text { Paififed } \\ \text { Circulation } \end{gathered}$ |
| Jan. | 585,146 | 51,411 | 636,557 | 5,894 | 5,894 | 642,451 | 84,296 | 6,287 | 90,583 | 675,336 | 57,698 | 733,034 |
| Feb. | 591,401 | 52,480 | 643,881 | 5,819 | 5,819 | 649,700 | 60,582 | 8,237 | 68,819 | 657,802 | 60,717 | 718,519 |
| Mar. | 599,219 | 52,484 | 651,703 | 5,489 | 5,489 | 657,192 | 98,540 | 9,107 | 107,647 | 703,248 | 61,591 | 764,839 |
| Apr. | 590,898 | 51,998 | 642,896 | 815 | 815 | 643,711 | 78,863 | 8,004 | 86,867 | 670,576 | 60,002 | 730,578 |
| May | 582,772 | 50,316 | 633,088 | 964 | 964 | 634,052 | 83,447 | 8,488 | 91,935 | 667,183 | 58,804 | 725,987 |
| June/July | 583,771 | 49,513 | 633,284 | 964 | 964 | 634,248 | 90,000 | 8,635 | 98,635 | 674,735 | 58,148 | 732,883 |

4. AVERAGE CIRCULATION BY REGIONAL, METRO \& DEMOGRAPHIC EDITIONS None
5. TREND ANALYSIS

|  | 2008 | \% | 2009 | \% | 2010 | \% | 2011 | \% | 2012 | \% |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Subscriptions: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Paid | 586,742 | 81.5 | 607,937 | 85.1 | 614,659 | 84.2 | 610,065 | 85.5 | 613,617 | 85.6 |
| Verified | 23,756 | 3.3 | 9,284 | 1.3 | 14,539 | 2.0 | 15,190 | 2.1 | 14,864 | 2.1 |
| Total Paid \& Verified Subscriptions | 610,498 | 84.8 | 617,221 | 86.4 | 629,198 | 86.2 | 625,255 | 87.6 | 628,481 | 87.7 |
| Single Copy Sales | 109,200 | 15.2 | 97,519 | 13.6 | 101,147 | 13.8 | 88,238 | 12.4 | 88,022 | 12.3 |
| Total Paid \& Verified Circulation | 719,698 | 100.0 | 714,740 | 100.0 | 730,345 | 100.0 | 713,493 | 100.0 | 716,503 | 100.0 |
| Year Over Year Percent of Change |  | -0.2 |  | -0.7 |  | 2.2 |  | -2.3 |  | 0.4 |
| Avg. Annualized Subscription Price | \$11.49 |  | \$10.52 |  | \$10.71 |  | \$9.48 |  | \$10.22 |  |

6. SUPPLEMENTAL ANALYSIS OF AVERAGE PAID \& VERIFIED CIRCULATION

The following averages, as reported below, are included in Par. 1 and annotated here per applicable rules. See Par. 9 for full explanation.

|  | Print <br> Average for Period | Digital (Replica) Average for Period | Total | \% of Circulation |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| PAID SUBSCRIPTIONS |  |  |  |  |
| Individual Subscriptions* | 567,212 | 51,367 | 618,579 | 84.3 |
| Combination Subscriptions* | 5,256 |  | 5,256 | 0.7 |
| Award Point* | 6,879 |  | 6,879 | 0.9 |
| Partnership: |  |  |  |  |
| Deductible* | 122 |  | 122 | 0.0 |
| Sponsored Sales | 9,399 |  | 9,399 | 1.3 |
| TOTAL PAID SUBSCRIPTIONS | 588,868 | 51,367 | 640,235 | 87.2 |
| VERIFIED SUBSCRIPTIONS |  |  |  |  |
| TOTAL VERIFIED SUBSCRIPTIONS | 3,324 |  | 3,324 | 0.4 |
| TOTAL PAID \& VERIFIED SUBSCRIPTIONS | 592,192 | 51,367 | 643,559 | 87.6 |
| SINGLE COPY SALES |  |  |  |  |
| Single Issue Sales | 81,160 | 8,126 | 89,286 | 12.2 |
| Combination Sales | 1,461 |  | 1,461 | 0.2 |
| TOTAL SINGLE COPY SALES | 82,621 | 8,126 | 90,747 | 12.4 |
| TOTAL PAID \& VERIFIED CIRCULATION | 674,813 | 59,493 | 734,306 | 100.0 |
| *Included in Average Price calculation |  |  |  |  |

## 6A. ADDITIONAL ANALYSIS OF VERIFIED PUBLIC PLACE

The following represents the average public place copies made available during the statement period to the following public areas:

|  |  |  | Total <br> Verified Subscription: | Hotels/Lodges |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Transportation | Outlets | Other | Public Place |  |
| Copies |  |  |  |  |

## 6B. ADDITIONAL ANALYSIS OF VERIFIED INDIVIDUAL USE

The following represents the average individual use copies made available during the statement period to the following individuals:
None

## 7. GEOGRAPHIC DATA for the January 2013 issue

Total paid \& verified circulation of this issue was $0.2 \%$ less than the total average paid \& verified circulation.


## ANALYSIS BY ABCD COUNTY SIZE for the January 2013 issue

|  |  | Total <br> Paid \& Verified |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| County | \% of | Circulation |
| Size | Households | Print |
| A | 40 | 321,918 |
| B | 30 | 193,404 |
| C | 15 | 74,178 |
| D | 15 | 53,119 |

Total
Paid \& Verified Circulation
Digital
(Replica)
Total
Paid \& Verified
Circulation
321,918
193,404
74,178
53,119

| \% of Total <br> Circulation | Index <br> (\% of Circulation/ <br> \% of Households) |
| :---: | :---: |
| 50.1 | 125 |
| 30.1 | 100 |
| 11.5 | 77 |
| 8.3 | 55 |

County Size Group Definitions by the A.C. Nielsen Company- Data for the conterminous 48 states.
Page 3 of 4 • 04-0295-0
Alliance for Audited Media

## 8. ANALYSIS OF TOTAL NEW AND RENEWAL PAID INDIVIDUAL SUBSCRIPTIONS

Total gross subscriptions (new and renewal) sold in the six month period ended June 30, 2013

| A. DURATION |  | \% |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| (a) One to six months (1 to 6 issues). | 277 | 0.1 |
| (b) Seven to eleven months ( 7 to 10 issues) ................ | 1,269 | 0.6 |
| (c) Twelve months (11 issues) | 188,331 | 82.6 |
| (d) Thirteen to twenty-four months. | 29,278 | 12.8 |
| (e) Twenty-five months and more | 8,886 | 3.9 |
| Total Subscriptions Sold in Period | 228,041 | 100.0 |
| B. USE OF PREMIUMS |  |  |
| (a) Ordered without premium. | 228,041 | 100.0 |
| (b) Ordered with material reprinted from this publication. | None |  |
| (c) Ordered with other premiums............................... | None |  |
| Total Subscriptions Sold in Period .......................... | 228,041 | 100.0 |

C. CHANNELS
\%
(a) Ordered by subscriber action via direct mail, direct mail agents, inserts, online, renewals, catalogs, or other outlets available to the subscribers............. 212,688 93.3
(b) Ordered by subscribers in response to unsolicited telemarketing and door to door selling................. 11,395 5.0
(c) Ordered by subscribers in response to fund-raising programs of schools, churches, and other similar organizations.
(d) Subscriptions as part of membership in an organization.
Total Subscriptions Sold in Period $\qquad$
$\qquad$
100.0

## 9. EXPLANATORY

(a) Suggested Retail Prices: Average Single Copy: Canada and International, \$5.99. Subscriptions: Canada and International, 1 yr. \$19.97.
(b) Average non-analyzed non-paid circulation for the 6 month period:

12,439
copies per issue
(c) Post expiration copies: None.
(d) DESCRIPTION OF DIGITAL (Replica): The digital edition is consistent with the print edition - all content is included either as an exact replica or as an interactive, enhanced presentation created specifically for the device being used. The digital edition is available via a growing list of digital edition storefronts and is able to be read on numerous tablets, smart phones and e-reader devices.
(e) 2,065 subscriptions were sold in combination during this statement period.

|  | Subscriptions <br> Sold |  | Subscription <br> Term | Price of <br> Combination | Suggested <br> Retail Prices |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Combination Publication |  |  |  |  |  |
| Road \& Track Buyer's |  | 214 | $11-22$ issues | $\$ 6.97-\$ 13.94$ | $\$ 5.99$ |
| Guide | 1,851 | 14 issues | $\$ 40.00$ | $\$ 24.97$ |  |

(f) Award Point Subscription Sales: The average of 6,879 copies per issue, shown in Par. 6 and included in Par. 1, includes the following:

An average of 4,925 copies per issue represents copies served to subscribers in exchange for the redemption of Airline Frequent Flyer Miles. These subscriptions were sold at 24 to 36 issues for $\$ 33.00$ to $\$ 35.00$, in exchange for the redemption of 1,100 to 3,300 points at the rate of $1 ¢$ to 36 per mile.

An average of 1,954 copies per issue represents copies served to subscribers in exchange for the redemption of Award Points. These subscriptions were sold at 11 issues for $\$ 8.00$ in exchange for the redemption of 133 points at the rate of $6 ¢$ per point.
(g) Partnership Subscription Sales (Deductible): The average of 122 copies per issue, shown in Par. 6 and included in Par. 1, represents copies served in a partnership relationship wherein this publication was bundled with the purchase of a product or service. Purchasers were advised that $\$ 5.00$ to $\$ 10.00$ of the sales price was allocated for a 1 year subscription.
(h) Sponsored Subscription Sales: The average of 9,399 copies per issue, shown in Par. 6 and included in Par. 1, represents copies purchased by various business concerns in quantities of 11 or more.
(i) Verified Public Place: The average of 3,324 copies per issue, shown in Par. 6 and included in Par. 1, represents copies distributed to Transportation Outlets and Hotels \& Lodging.
(j) Combination Single Copy Sales: The average of 1,461 copies per issue, shown in Par. 6 and included in Par. 1, represents copies of the April 2013 issue of this publication and the Esquire Big Black Book sold at a combination single copy price of \$11.99.
(k) Pursuant to a review by the AAM Board of Directors, copies distributed through the Next Issue Media Unlimited program are reported as paid single copy sales based on consumer payment for the program and consumer's request for this specific magazine. Included in Digital (Replica) single copy sales is an average of 5,677 copies per issue from this program.

## 10. VARIANCE

Latest released Audit Report for 12 months ended December 31, 2011; Variation from Publisher's Statements

| Audit Period <br> Ended | Rate Base <br> (Paid \& Verified) | Audit Report <br> (Paid \& Verified) | Publisher's <br> Statements <br> (Paid \& Verified) | Difference <br> (Paid \& Verified) | Percentage <br> of Difference <br> (Paid \& Verified) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $12-31-11$ | 700,000 | 714,823 | 713,493 | 1,330 | 0.2 |
| $12-31-10$ | 700,000 | 731,998 | 730,345 | 1,653 | 0.2 |
| $12-31-09$ | 700,000 | 714,489 | 714,739 | -250 | -0.0 |
| $12-31-08$ | 700,000 | 718,220 | 719,699 | $-1,479$ | -0.2 |
| $12-31-07$ | 700,000 | 720,551 | 721,174 | -623 | -0.1 |

[^0]Analyzed Issue Date
$\begin{array}{lll}\text { 04-0295-0 } & \begin{array}{l}\text { Analyzed Issue Text (for double month issue date) } \\ \text { Average Single Copy Price }\end{array} & 4.99\end{array}$
Association Subscription Price
U.S. Subscription Price 7.97

Canadian Subscription Price 19.97
International Subscription Price 19.97


[^0]:    We certify that to the best of our knowledge all data set forth in this Publisher's Statement are true and report circulation in accordance with Alliance for Audited Media's Bylaws and Rules.
    Parent Company: Hearst Communications, Inc.
    ESQUIRE, published by Hearst Communications, Inc. • 300 W. 57th Street • New York, NY 10019
    LIBERTA ABBONDANTE JACK ESSIG Date Signed: July 29, 2013
    Senior V.P./Consumer Marketing
    S.V.P./Publisher \& Chief

    Revenue Officer
    Sales Office: New York 212-903-5114
    Established: 1933 AAM Member since: 1934

