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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Ad MURDOCH	*	_	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NEWS CORP [NWS]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)				
C/O NEWS AMERICA INCORPORATED, 1211 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS		AVENUE	12/11/2007	X_ Officer (give title Other (specibelow) below) Chairman and CEO			
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
NEW YORK	, NY 10036		Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acc	quired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owner			

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned							ally 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. Securities our Disposed (Instr. 3, 4	d of (I	O)	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)
Class A Common Stock	12/11/2007		S	150,000		\$ 20.97	2,687,402	I	By K. Rupert Murdoch 2004 Revocable Trust
Class A Common Stock	12/12/2007		S	150,000	D	\$ 21.02	2,537,402	I	By K. Rupert Murdoch 2004 Revocable

Trust

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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)	4. Transact Code (Instr. 8)	5. ionNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	Secur	int of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

Reporting Owners

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

MURDOCH KEITH RUPERT C/O NEWS AMERICA INCORPORATED 1211 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS

X

Chairman and CEO

Relationships

Signatures

NEW YORK, NY 10036

/s/ Laura O'Leary as Attorney-in Fact for Keith Rupert Murdoch

12/12/2007

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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