

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>MURDOCH KEITH RUPERT</u> (Last) (First) (Middle) <u>C/O NEWS CORPORATION</u> <u>1211 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS</u> (Street) <u>NEW YORK NY 10036</u> (City) (State) (Zip) | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>NEWS CORP [NWS]</u> 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>10/11/2023</u> 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <div><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director 10% Owner</div> <div><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) <u>Executive Chair</u></div> <div><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person</div> |
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially 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. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | | 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) |
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| | | | Code | V | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | | | |

| Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4) | | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) | 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
| | | | | Code | V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | | | |
| Cash-Settled Restricted Stock Units | (1) | 10/11/2023 | | A | | 42 | | (2) | (2) | Class A Common Stock | 42 | \$ 20.64 | 8,729 | D | |
| Cash-Settled Restricted Stock Units | (1) | 10/11/2023 | | A | | 104 | | (2) | (2) | Class A Common Stock | 104 | \$ 20.64 | 21,606 | D | |
| Cash-Settled Restricted Stock Units | (1) | 10/11/2023 | | A | | 201 | | (2) | (2) | Class A Common Stock | 201 | \$ 20.64 | 41,829 | D | |

Explanation of Responses:

- Each cash-settled restricted stock unit is the economic equivalent of one share of News Corporation Class A Common Stock.
- Represents dividend equivalents accrued with respect to cash-settled restricted stock units previously granted, which become payable in cash upon vesting of the underlying cash-settled restricted stock units.

Remarks:

/s/ Kenneth C. Mertz as
Attorney-in-Fact for Keith
Rupert Murdoch

10/12/2023

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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

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