NEWS CORP Form 4 October 21, 2016

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See Instruction 1(b).

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Siddiqui Masroor

(First) (Middle) (Last)

C/O NEWS CORPORATION, 1211

AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

NEWS CORP [NWS]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

10/19/2016

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

below)

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

(City) (State) (Zip)

NEW YORK, NY 10036

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if

Code (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8)

3.

TransactionAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D)

Code V Amount (D) Price

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

(A)

or

4. Securities

Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

5. Amount of

Form: Direct (I) (Instr. 4)

7. Nature of Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership

6. Ownership

(Instr. 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 Derivative Conversion Security or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any

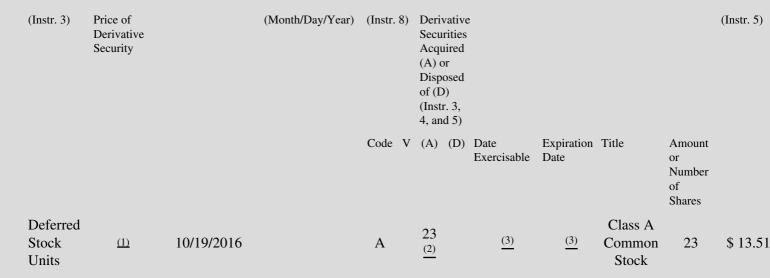
5. TransactionNumber Code of

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of 8. Price of **Underlying Securities** (Instr. 3 and 4)

Derivative Security

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Siddiqui Masroor C/O NEWS CORPORATION 1211 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS NEW YORK, NY 10036

X

Signatures

/s/ Kenneth C. Mertz as Attorney-in-Fact for Masroor Siddiqui 10/21/2016

**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) Each deferred stock unit represents the equivalent of one share of News Corporation's Class A Common Stock.
- (2) Represents dividend equivalents accrued with respect to deferred stock units previously granted on July 1, 2016.
- (3) The deferred stock units representing dividend equivalents become payable in cash upon vesting of the underlying deferred stock units.

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