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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * BARNES PETER			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NEWS CORP [NWS]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	(First) (1	Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)				(Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner					
	CORPORATION OF THE AMERIC		07/03/20	•	7)				Officer (give below)		er (specify	
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)						6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
NEW YOR	K, NY 10036								Form filed by M Person	More than One Re	porting	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	e I - No	n-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Executio any		3. Transa Code (Instr.		4. Securi on(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	ispose	d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		
Class A Common Stock	07/03/2017			M		3,290	A	(1)	5,279	D		
Class A Common	07/03/2017			D		3,290	D	\$	1,989	D		

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 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. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) 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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. De Se (In	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Deferred Stock Units	<u>(2)</u>	07/03/2017		M		3,290	<u>(3)</u>	(3)	Class A Common Stock	3,290	
Deferred Stock Units	<u>(2)</u>	07/03/2017		A	2,609		<u>(5)</u>	(5)	Class A Common Stock	2,609	\$

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
BARNES PETER							
C/O NEWS CORPORATION	X						
1211 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS	Λ						
NEW YORK, NY 10036							

Signatures

/s/ Kenneth C. Mertz as Attorney-in-Fact for Peter Barnes

07/06/2017

**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) The deferred stock units were deemed to have settled for the cash value of an equivalent number of shares of News Corporation's Class A Common Stock.
- (2) Each deferred stock unit represents the equivalent of one share of News Corporation's Class A Common Stock.
- (3) The deferred stock units became payable in cash on July 3, 2017, the first trading day of the quarter five years following the grant.
- Represents the aggregate number of deferred stock units held by the Reporting Person, including deferred stock units accrued as a result of dividend equivalents that vest on the same terms as the respective underlying deferred stock units. The reported deferred stock units become payable in cash on the earlier of (i) the first trading day of the quarter five years following the respective grant and (ii) the Reporting Person's end of service as a Director.
- (5) The deferred stock units become payable in cash on the earlier of (i) the first trading day of the quarter five years following the grant and (ii) the Reporting Person's end of service as a Director.

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