#### MURDOCH LACHLAN K

Form 4

November 25, 2009

## 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).

(Print or Type Responses)

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MURDOCH LACHLAN K |            |          | 2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer                         |  |  |  |
|---|------------|----------|--|--|--|--|--|
| (Last)  | (First)    | (Middle) | NEWS CORP [NWS] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction    | (Check all applicable)   |  |  |  |
| C/O NEWS A<br>INCORPORA<br>OF THE AM                        | ATED, 1211 | AVENUE   | (Month/Day/Year)<br>11/23/2009                     | X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) —— Other (specify below) |  |  |  |
| (Street)  |            |          | 4. If Amendment, Date Original                     | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check                                |  |  |  |

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### NEW YORK, NY 10036

| (City)                               | (State)                                 | (Zip) Ta  | ble I - Non                            | -Derivative S  | ecuriti | ies Acqui    | red, Disposed of   | , or Beneficia   | ally Owned  |
|--------------------------------------|---|---|--|--|---------|--------------|--|--|---|
| 1.Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3.<br>Transactic<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 4. Securities onor Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4 and Amount | of (D)  | red (A)      | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
| Class A<br>Common<br>Stock           | 11/23/2009                              |   | S                                      | 691,900  | D       | \$<br>12.03  | 3,892,816<br>(2)   | I  | By the<br>Antium Pty<br>Ltd ATF<br>LKM<br>Investment<br>Trust     |
| Class A<br>Common<br>Stock           | 11/24/2009                              |   | S                                      | 103,500  | D       | \$ 12<br>(3) | 3,789,316<br>( <u>2)</u>   | I  | By the<br>Antium Pty<br>Ltd ATF<br>LKM<br>Investment              |

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|   |   |                      |  |              |                  |   | Trust  |  |  |
|---|---|----------------------|--|--------------|------------------|---|--|--|--|
| Class A<br>Common 11/25/2009<br>Stock   | S | 1,500,000            | D  | \$ 12<br>(4) | 2,289,316<br>(2) | I | By the Antium Pty Ltd ATF LKM Investment Trust |  |  |
| Class A<br>Common<br>Stock  |   |                      |  |              | 456              | 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)

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| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transac<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8 | 5. stionNumber of Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | S                   | ate                | 7. Titl<br>Amou<br>Under<br>Secur<br>(Instr. | int of<br>rlying                       | 8. Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5) |  |
|---|---|---|------------------------------------|---|---------------------|--------------------|--|--|---|--|
|   |   |   | Code                               | V (A) (D)   | Date<br>Exercisable | Expiration<br>Date | Title  | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares |   |  |

# **Reporting Owners**

| Reporting Owner Name / Address  | Relationships |           |         |       |  |  |  |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|--|
|   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |  |  |  |
| MURDOCH LACHLAN K<br>C/O NEWS AMERICA INCORPORATED<br>1211 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS<br>NEW YORK, NY 10036 | X             |           |         |       |  |  |  |

## **Signatures**

/s/ Lawrence A. Jacobs as Attorney-in-Fact for Lachlan K.
Murdoch

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\*\*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).
- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$12.00 to \$12.13, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to News Corporation, any security holder of News Corporation, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in footnotes (1), (3) and (4) to this Form 4.
- On November 2, 2009 the LKM Family Trust, of which the reporting person is a beneficiary, distributed to the reporting person all 4,364,716 shares of News Corporation Class A common stock held by the LKM Family Trust for no consideration. The reporting person then loaned the 4,364,716 shares to the Antium Pty Ltd ATF LKM Investment Trust, an entity controlled by the reporting person and of which the reporting person is a beneficiary (the "Investment Trust"), secured by an obligation to remit the shares or consideration received therefore. On November 18, 2009 the reporting person loaned 220,000 directly held shares to the Investment Trust, secured by an obligation to remit the shares or consideration received therefore. The shares reported in Column 4 were sold by the Investment Trust.
- (3) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$12 to \$12.0175, inclusive.
- (4) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$12 to \$12.045, inclusive.

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