

NEWS CORP
Form 8-K
September 12, 2006

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

Form 8-K

Current Report

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): 09/12/2006

News Corporation

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Commission File Number: 001-32352

Delaware
(State or other jurisdiction of
incorporation)

26-0075658
(IRS Employer
Identification No.)

1211 Avenue of the Americas
New York, NY 10036
(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

212-852-7000
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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Information to be included in the report

Item 8.01. Other Events

On September 12, 2006, News Corporation (the "Company") and VeriSign, Inc. ("VeriSign") announced a joint venture to form the world's largest provider of mobile entertainment. The Company will pay approximately \$188 million for a controlling interest in VeriSign's wholly-owned subsidiary, Jamba, and will combine Jamba with the Company's Fox Mobile Entertainment assets.

The press release announcing the formation of the joint venture, a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1, is hereby incorporated by reference.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(c) Exhibits.

Exhibit Number	Description
99.1	Press release of News Corporation dated September 12, 2006.

Signature(s)

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

News Corporation

Date: September 12, 2006

By: /s/ Lawrence A. Jacobs

Lawrence A. Jacobs
Senior Executive Vice President and Group General Counsel

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Exhibit No.	Description
EX-99.1	Press release of News Corporation dated September 12, 2006.