

NEWS CORP  
Form 8-K  
May 02, 2014

**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**

**May 2, 2014**

**DATE OF REPORT**  
**(DATE OF EARLIEST EVENT REPORTED)**

**NEWS CORPORATION**  
**(EXACT NAME OF REGISTRANT AS SPECIFIED IN ITS CHARTER)**

**Delaware**  
**(STATE OR OTHER**  
**JURISDICTION**  
**OF INCORPORATION)**

**001-35769**  
**(COMMISSION FILE NO.)**

**46-2950970**  
**(IRS EMPLOYER**  
**IDENTIFICATION NO.)**

**1211 Avenue of the Americas, New York, New York 10036**

**(ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL EXECUTIVE OFFICES, INCLUDING ZIP CODE)**

**(212) 416-3400**

**(REGISTRANT'S TELEPHONE NUMBER, INCLUDING AREA CODE)**

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

- .. Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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- .. Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

**Item 8.01 Other Events.**

On May 2, 2014, News Corporation (the Company ) announced it had agreed to acquire Harlequin Enterprises Limited, one of the world's leading publishers of women's fiction, from Torstar Corporation. The acquisition, which is subject to regulatory approvals, Torstar shareholder approval and other customary closing conditions, is expected to be completed by the end of the third quarter of calendar year 2014. A copy of the Company's press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this Form 8-K and incorporated herein by reference.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

**(d) Exhibits.**

<b>Exhibit No.</b>	<b>Description</b>
99.1	Press Release of News Corporation, dated May 2, 2014.

**SIGNATURES**

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

(REGISTRANT)

By: /s/ Michael L. Bunder  
Michael L. Bunder  
Senior Vice President, Deputy General

Counsel and Corporate Secretary

Dated: May 2, 2014

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