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**Statement from Jason Ward, Centre for International Corporate Tax Accountability  
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Corporations should not claim to “Back Australia” if there is a clear track record of aggressive tax dodging in Australia. To “Back Australia” the least a corporation can do is pay its basic corporate income tax to help fund essential public services, rather than abusing loopholes to shift profits offshore. This campaign, is particularly rich coming from Murdoch’s News Corp.