**MGM MIRAGE** 

Form 4

September 13, 2006

#### 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 \* 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading JAMES PHYLLIS Issuer Symbol MGM MIRAGE [MGM] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 3600 LAS VEGAS BLVD. SOUTH 09/12/2006

10% Owner \_X\_\_ Officer (give title \_ Other (specify

below) SENIOR VP & SENIOR COUNSEL

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

> Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line)

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Person

LAS VEGAS, NV 89109

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	le I - Non-I	Derivative S	Secur	ities Acqu	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)  (A) or			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND	09/12/2006	09/12/2006	M	6,000	A	\$ 12.74	11,484	D	
Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND	09/12/2006	09/12/2006	S	6,000	D	\$ 36.5	5,484	D	
Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND	09/12/2006	09/12/2006	M	4,000	A	\$ 17.875	9,484	D	

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Common

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ND

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Other

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number coof Derivative Securities 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Emp Stk Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 12.74	09/12/2006	09/12/2006	M	6,000	02/27/2004	02/27/2013	Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND	6,000
Emp Stk Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 17.875	09/12/2006	09/12/2006	M	4,000	03/04/2003	03/04/2012	Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND	4,000

# **Reporting Owners**

LAS VEGAS, NV 89109

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer

JAMES PHYLLIS

3600 LAS VEGAS BLVD. SOUTH SENIOR VP & SENIOR COUNSEL

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### **Signatures**

Bryan L. Wright, Attorney-In-Fact 09/12/2006

\*\*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).
- Options granted under MGM MIRAGE Employee Stock Option Plan. Vesting plan calls for options to become exercisable in equal 20% yearly amounts over a period of five years commencing on 2/27/04.
- Options granted under MGM MIRAGE 1997 Nonqualified Stock Option Plan. Vesting plan calls for options to become exercisable in equal 25% yearly amounts commencing on the first anniversary of the grant date.

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