

MGM MIRAGE
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
REDMOND JOHN

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3600 LAS VEGAS BLVD. SOUTH

(Street)

LAS VEGAS, NV 89109

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
MGM MIRAGE [MGM]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
08/01/2005

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
PRESIDENT & CEO - MGM GRAND RE

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND	08/01/2005	08/01/2005	M		200,000	A	\$ 12.74
					326,662 ⁽¹⁾	D	
Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND	08/01/2005	08/01/2005	S		25,000	D	\$ 45.0081
					301,662 ⁽¹⁾	D	
Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND	08/01/2005	08/01/2005	S		175,000	D	\$ 45.0619
					126,662 ⁽¹⁾	D	

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Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND	08/02/2005	08/02/2005	M	160,000	A	\$ 12.74	286,662 <u>(1)</u>	D
Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND	08/02/2005	08/02/2005	S	700	D	\$ 45.07	285,962 <u>(1)</u>	D
Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND	08/02/2005	08/02/2005	S	1,600	D	\$ 45.06	284,362 <u>(1)</u>	D
Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND	08/02/2005	08/02/2005	S	200	D	\$ 45.05	284,162 <u>(1)</u>	D
Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND	08/02/2005	08/02/2005	S	500	D	\$ 45.04	283,662 <u>(1)</u>	D
Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND	08/02/2005	08/02/2005	S	1,900	D	\$ 45.03	281,762 <u>(1)</u>	D
Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND	08/02/2005	08/02/2005	S	6,500	D	\$ 45.02	275,262 <u>(1)</u>	D
Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND	08/02/2005	08/02/2005	S	600	D	\$ 45.01	274,662 <u>(1)</u>	D
Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND	08/02/2005	08/02/2005	S	51,700	D	\$ 45	222,962 <u>(1)</u>	D
Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND	08/02/2005	08/02/2005	S	500	D	\$ 44.99	222,462 <u>(1)</u>	D
Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND	08/02/2005	08/02/2005	S	800	D	\$ 44.98	221,662 <u>(1)</u>	D
	08/02/2005	08/02/2005	S	1,900	D	\$ 44.97	219,762 <u>(1)</u>	D

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08/02/2005	08/02/2005	S	600	D	\$ 44.96	219,162 ⁽¹⁾	D
08/02/2005	08/02/2005	S	69,800	D	\$ 44.95	149,362 ⁽¹⁾	D
08/02/2005	08/02/2005	S	2,600	D	\$ 44.94	146,762 ⁽¹⁾	D
08/02/2005	08/02/2005	S	400	D	\$ 44.93	146,362 ⁽¹⁾	D
08/02/2005	08/02/2005	S	1,400	D	\$ 44.92	144,962 ⁽¹⁾	D
08/02/2005	08/02/2005	S	15,900	D	\$ 44.9	129,062 ⁽¹⁾	D
08/02/2005	08/02/2005	S	2,400	D	\$ 44.91	126,662 ⁽¹⁾	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)**

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
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				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount of Number of Shares	
Emp Stk Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 12.74	08/01/2005	08/01/2005	M				200,000	02/27/2004	02/27/2013	Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND	200,000
Emp Stk Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 12.74	08/02/2005	08/02/2005	M				160,000	02/27/2004	02/27/2013	Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND	160,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
REDMOND JOHN 3600 LAS VEGAS BLVD. SOUTH LAS VEGAS, NV 89109	X			PRESIDENT & CEO - MGM GRAND RE

Signatures

Bryan L. Wright,
Attorney-In-Fact

08/02/2005

__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).
- 75,000 of these shares (on a post-split basis) are subject to certain restrictions contained in a Restricted Stock Agreement dated as of June 3, 2002 between MGM MIRAGE and the issuer of the shares, which restrictions terminate upon completion of four years of employment with the company from the date of the Agreement.
- (2) 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.

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