

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 \*  
**JAMES PHYLLIS**

(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)  
**09/12/2006**

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)  
**SENIOR VP & SENIOR COUNSEL**

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 | 09/12/2006                           | 09/12/2006   | M                              |   | 6,000   | A  | \$ 12.74 11,484                                       |
| Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND | 09/12/2006                           | 09/12/2006   | S                              |   | 6,000   | D  | \$ 36.5 5,484   |
| Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND | 09/12/2006                           | 09/12/2006   | M                              |   | 4,000   | A  | \$ 17.875 9,484                                       |

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Common  
 Stock \$.01  
 Par Value 09/12/2006 09/12/2006 S 4,000 D \$ 36.5 5,484 D  
 ND

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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 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. 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<br>\$.01 Par Value<br>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<br>\$.01 Par Value<br>ND                         | 4,000                         |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                     | Relationships |           |                            |       |
|--|---------------|-----------|----------------------------|-------|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                    | Other |
| JAMES PHYLLIS<br>3600 LAS VEGAS BLVD. SOUTH<br>LAS VEGAS, NV 89109 |               |           | SENIOR VP & SENIOR COUNSEL |       |

## 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).
- (1) 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.
- (2) 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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