JAMES PHYLLIS

Form 4

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### FORM 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * JAMES PHYLLIS			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol MGM MIRAGE [MGG]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Chook an applicable)		
			(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner		
3600 LAS V	EGAS BLVD	. SOUTH	02/18/2005	_X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) SENIOR VP & SENIOR COUNSEL		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
LAS VEGA	S, NV 89109		Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly 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 ction(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		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		Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND	02/18/2005	02/18/2005	M	2,500	A	\$ 35.75	6,500 <u>(1)</u>	D	
Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND	02/18/2005	02/18/2005	M	1,000	A	\$ 25.48	7,500 (1)	D	
Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND	02/18/2005	02/18/2005	S	2,700	D	\$ 78.85	4,800 (1)	D	

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Common

Stock \$.01 Par Value 02/18/2005 02/18/2005 S 02/18/2005 S 02/18/2005 D 02/18/2005 D D 02/18/2005 D

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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. 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)	\$ 25.48	02/18/2005	02/18/2005	M	1,000	02/27/2004	02/27/2013	Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND	1,000
Emp Stk Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 35.75	02/18/2005	02/18/2005	M	2,500	03/04/2003	03/04/2012	Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND	2,500

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

JAMES PHYLLIS 3600 LAS VEGAS BLVD. SOUTH LAS VEGAS, NV 89109

SENIOR VP & SENIOR COUNSEL

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# **Signatures**

Bryan L. Wright, Attorney-In-Fact

02/22/2005

\*\*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).
- The shares under this grant are subject to certain restrictions contained in a Restricted Stock Agreement dated as of June 3, 2002 between MGM MIRAGE and the issuee of the shares. The issuee is eligible for 50% of the shares upon completion of three years of employment with the company from the date of the Agreement and is eligible for 100% of the shares upon completion of four years of employment with the company from the date of the Agreement.
- 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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