MIRANT CORP Form SC 13G February 12, 2009

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 13G

UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934 (Amendment No.)*

MIRANT CORP

(Name of Issuer)

COMMON STOCK

(Title of Class of Securities)

60467R100

(CUSIP Number)

December 31, 2008

(Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement)

Check the appropriate box to designate the Rule pursuant to which this Schedule is filed:

[X] Rule 13d – 1(b)

[] Rule 13d - 1(c)

[] Rule 13d - 1(d)

* The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

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The information required on the remainder of this page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, *see* the *Notes*.)

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1	NAMES OF REPORTING F I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION N	PERSONS IO. OF ABOVE PERSONS (E	NTITIES ONLY):
2	Bank of America Corporatio CHECK THE APPRO Instructions)		EMBER OF A GROUP (See
3 4	(b) SEC USE ONLY CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE		
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	ED BY EACH 7 SOLE DIS	SPOSITIVE POWER	0
REPOR	RTING PERSON 8 SHARED WITH	DISPOSITIVE POWER	10,417,390
9	AGGREGATE AMOUNT E	SENEFICIALLY OWNED BY	EACH REPORTING PERSON
10	CHECK IF THE AGGREG (See Instructions)	ATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9)	10,417,390 EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES
11	PERCENT OF CLASS REP	RESENTED BY AMOUNT II	[] N ROW (9)
12	TYPE OF REPORTING PE	RSON (See Instructions)	6.7%
			HC

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1	NAMES OF REPORTI I.R.S. IDENTIFICATIO	NG PERSONS DN NO. OF ABOVE PERSONS (E	ENTITIES ONLY):
2	NB Holdings Corporation CHECK THE APP Instructions)		EMBER OF A GROUP (See
3 4	SEC USE ONLY CITIZENSHIP OR PLA	(b) [] ACE OF ORGANIZATION	
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y 10			6,950,460) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES
11	PERCENT OF CLASS	REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT I	[] [N ROW (9)
12	TYPE OF REPORTING	G PERSON (See Instructions)	4.5%
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1		ON NO. OF ABOVE PERSONS	G (ENTITIES ONLY): -3737560
2			MEMBER OF A GROUP (See
-		(b) []	
3 4	SEC USE ONLY CITIZENSHIP OR PLA	ACE OF ORGANIZATION	
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	ER OF SHARES 5 SOLI		0
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	TINC DEDSON	RED DISPOSITIVE POWER	4,156,082
9	AGGREGATE AMOU	NT BENEFICIALLY OWNED	BY EACH REPORTING PERSON
10	CHECK IF THE AGG (See Instructions)	REGATE AMOUNT IN ROW	4,156,082 (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES
11	PERCENT OF CLASS	REPRESENTED BY AMOUN	[] T IN ROW (9)
12	TYPE OF REPORTING	G PERSON (See Instructions)	2.7%
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1	NAMES OF REPORTING PERSO I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF		NTITIES ONLY):
2	BANA Holding Corporation CHECK THE APPROPRIA Instructions)	36-2685437 ATE BOX IF A ME (a) []	MBER OF A GROUP (See
3 4	(b) [] SEC USE ONLY CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF OF	RGANIZATION	
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10	CHECK IF THE AGGREGATE A (See Instructions)	AMOUNT IN ROW (9)	4,156,082 EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES
11	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESE	NTED BY AMOUNT IN	[] NROW (9)
12	TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON	(See Instructions)	2.7%
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1	NAMES OF REPORTING	G PERSONS NO. OF ABOVE PERSONS (ENTITIES ONLY):
2	Bank of America, NA CHECK THE APPR Instructions)	94-1687665 OPRIATE BOX IF A M (a)[]	EMBER OF A GROUP (See
3 4	(SEC USE ONLY CITIZENSHIP OR PLAC	b) [] E OF ORGANIZATION	
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10	CHECK IF THE AGGRE (See Instructions)	EGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (S	4,156,082 9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES
11	PERCENT OF CLASS R	EPRESENTED BY AMOUNT	[] IN ROW (9)
12	TYPE OF REPORTING I	PERSON (See Instructions)	2.7%
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1	NAMES OF REPORTING PERSO I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF		ENTITIES ONLY):
2	Columbia Management Group, LLC CHECK THE APPROPRIA Instructions)		65 EMBER OF A GROUP (See
3 4	(b) [] SEC USE ONLY CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF OR	GANIZATION	
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10	CHECK IF THE AGGREGATE A (See Instructions)	MOUNT IN ROW (9)	37,818 EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES
11	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESEN	ITED BY AMOUNT I	[]
12	TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON ((See Instructions)	0.0%
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1	NAMES OF REPORT I.R.S. IDENTIFICATI	TING PERSONS ON NO. OF ABOVE PERSONS (E	ENTITIES ONLY):	
2	Columbia Managemen CHECK THE AP Instructions)		37665 EMBER OF A GROUP (See	
3 4	SEC USE ONLY CITIZENSHIP OR PL	(b) [] ACE OF ORGANIZATION		
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	ER OF SHARES 5 SOL		36,098	
		ARED VOTING POWER LE DISPOSITIVE POWER	1,720 36,298	
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	WITH 8 SHA	ARED DISPOSITIVE POWER	330	
9	AGGREGATE AMOU	JNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED B	Y EACH REPORTING PERSON	
10	CHECK IF THE AGC (See Instructions)	GREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9)	37,818) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES	
11	PERCENT OF CLASS	S REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT I	[]	
12	TYPE OF REPORTIN	G PERSON (See Instructions)	0.0%	
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2		rities Holdings Corporation PROPRIATE BOX IF A ME (a) []	56-2103478 MBER OF A GROUP (See	
3 4	SEC USE ONLY CITIZENSHIP OR PL	(b) [] ACE OF ORGANIZATION		
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10	CHECK IF THE AGC (See Instructions)	GREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9)	2,794,378 EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES	
11	PERCENT OF CLASS	S REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN	[] NROW (9)	
12	TYPE OF REPORTIN	G PERSON (See Instructions)	1.8%	
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2	Banc of America Sec CHECK THE A Instructions)		5 MEMBER OF A GROUP (See
3 4	SEC USE ONLY CITIZENSHIP OR F	(b) [] PLACE OF ORGANIZATION	
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10	CHECK IF THE AC (See Instructions)	GGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (2,794,378 9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES
11	PERCENT OF CLA	SS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT	[]
12	TYPE OF REPORTI	NG PERSON (See Instructions)	1.8%
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3 SEC USE ON 4 CITIZENSH	NLY IP OR PLACE OF ORC	GANIZATION	
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9	AGGREGATE A REPORTING PERS		ICIALLY OWNED BY EACH
			2,184
10	CHECK IF THE A		OUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES
11	PERCENT OF CLA	SS REPRESENTED 1	[] BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)
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12	TYPE OF REPORTI	ING PERSON (See In	0.0%
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1	NAMES OF REPORTING	PERSONS	
	I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION N	NO. OF ABOVE PERSONS (E	ENTITIES ONLY):
2	NMS Services Inc. CHECK THE APPRO Instructions)	52-2082247 PRIATE BOX IF A M (a) []	EMBER OF A GROUP (See
_	(b)	[]	
3 4	SEC USE ONLY CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE	OF ORGANIZATION	
NUMB	ER OF SHARES 5 SOLE VC	TING POWER	Delaware 0
	NEFICIALLY 6 SHARED		3,466,930
	NED BY EACH 7 SOLE DIS	SPOSITIVE POWER	0
REPOR	RTING PERSON WITH 8 SHARED	DISPOSITIVE POWER	3,466,930
9	AGGREGATE AMOUNT I	BENEFICIALLY OWNED B	Y EACH REPORTING PERSON
10	CHECK IF THE AGGREG (See Instructions)	ATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9)	3,466,930) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES
11	PERCENT OF CLASS REP	PRESENTED BY AMOUNT I	[]
12	TYPE OF REPORTING PE	RSON (See Instructions)	2.2%
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2	NMS Services CHECK TH Instructions)	E APPROPRIAT	98-018 E BOX IF A (a) []	86458 Member of A G	ROUP (See
3 4	SEC USE ONL CITIZENSHIP	(b) [] Y OR PLACE OF ORGA	ANIZATION		
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10	CHECK IF TH (See Instruction		OUNT IN ROW	(9) EXCLUDES CERT	3,466,930 AIN SHARES
11	PERCENT OF	CLASS REPRESENT	ED BY AMOUN	NT IN ROW (9)	[]
12	TYPE OF REP	ORTING PERSON (S	ee Instructions)		2.2%
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Item 1(a). Name of Issuer:

MIRANT CORP

Item 1(b). Address of Issuer's Principal Executive Offices:

1155 PERIMETER CENTER WEST, SUITE 100 ATLANTA, GA 30338

Item 2(a). Name of Person Filing:

Bank of America Corporation NB Holdings Corporation BAC North America Holding Company BANA Holding Corporation Bank of America N.A. Columbia Management Group, LLC Columbia Management Advisors, LLC Banc of America Securities Holdings Corporation Banc of America Securities LLC Banc of America Investment Advisors, Inc. NMS Services Inc. NMS Services (Cayman) Inc.

Item 2(b). Address of Principal Business Office or, if None, Residence:

Each Reporting Person has its or his principal business office at 100 North Tryon Street, Floor 25, Bank of America Corporate Center, Charlotte, NC 28255.

Item 2(c). Citizenship:

Bank of America Corporation	Delaware
NB Holdings Corporation	Delaware
BAC North America Holding Company	Delaware
BANA Holding Corporation	Delaware
Bank of America N.A.	United States
Columbia Management Group, LLC	Delaware
Columbia Management Advisors, LLC	Delaware
Banc of America Securities Holdings Corporation	Delaware
Banc of America Securities LLC	Delaware
Banc of America Investment Advisors, Inc.	Delaware
NMS Services Inc.	Delaware
NMS Services (Cayman) Inc.	Cayman Islands

Item 2(d). Title of Class of Securities:

Common Stock

Item 2(e). CUSIP Number:

60467R100

Item 3. If This Statement is Filed Pursuant to Rule 13d-1(b), or 13d-2(b) or (c),

Check Whether the Person Filing is a:

- (a) [] Broker or dealer registered under Section 15 of the Exchange Act.
- (b) [] Bank as defined in Section 3(a)(6) of the Exchange Act.
- (c) [] Insurance company as defined in Section 3(a)(19) of the Exchange Act.
- (d) [] Investment company registered under Section 8 of the Investment Company Act.
- (e) [] An investment adviser in accordance with Rule 13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(E).
- (f) [] An employee benefit plan or endowment fund in accordance with Rule 13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(F).
- (g) [X] A parent holding company or control person in accordance with Rule 13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(G).
- (h) [] A savings association as defined in Section 3(b) of the Federal Deposit Insurance Act.
- (i) [] A church plan that is excluded from the definition of an investment company under Section 3(c)(14) of the Investment Company Act.
- (j) [] Group, in accordance with Rule 13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(J).

If this statement is filed pursuant to Rule 13d-1(c), check this box. []

Item 4. Ownership:

With respect to the beneficial ownership of the reporting person, see Items 5 through 11 of the cover pages to this Schedule 13G, which are incorporated herein by reference.

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Item 5. Ownership of 5 Percent or Less of a Class:

If this statement is being filed to report the fact that as of the date hereof the reporting person has ceased to be the beneficial owner of more than five percent of the class of securities, check the following [].

Item 6. Ownership or More than Five Percent on Behalf of Another Person:

Not Applicable.

Item 7. Identification and Classification of the Subsidiary Which Acquired the

Security Being Reported on by the Parent Holding Company or Control Person:

With respect to the beneficial ownership of the reporting person, see Items 5 through 11 of the cover pages to this Schedule 13G, which are incorporated herein by reference.

Item 8. Identification and Classification of Members of the Group:

Not Applicable.

Item 9. Notice of Dissolution of Group:

Not Applicable.

Item 10. Certification:

By signing below each of the undersigned certifies that, to the best of such undersigned's knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were acquired and are held in the ordinary course of business and were not acquired and are not for the purpose of or with the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of the securities and were not acquired and are not held in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having that purpose or effect.

SIGNATURE

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Dated: February 12, 2009

Bank of America Corporation

NB Holdings Corporation

BAC North America Holding Company

BANA Holding Corporation

Bank of America, N.A.

By: /s/ Charles F. Bowman

Charles F. Bowman Senior Vice President

Columbia Management Group, LLC Columbia Management Advisors, LLC

By: /s/ Michael A. Jones

Michael A. Jones

President

Bank of America Securities Holdings Corporation

By: /s/ Robert Qutub

Robert Qutub

President

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Bank of America Securities LLC NMS Services Inc. NMS Services (Cayman) Inc.

By: /s/ Matthew Smith

Matthew Smith Managing Director

Banc of America Investment Advisors, Inc.

By: /s/ Daniel S. McNamara

Daniel S. McNamara

President

Exhibit 99.1

EXHIBIT 99.1 - JOINT FILING AGREEMENT

The undersigned hereby agree that they are filing this statement jointly pursuant to Rule 13d-1(k)(1). Each of them is responsible for the timely filing of such Schedule 13G and any amendments thereto, and for the completeness and accuracy of the information concerning such person contained therein; but none of them is responsible for the completeness or accuracy of the information concerning the other persons making the filing, unless such person knows or has reason to believe that such information is inaccurate.

In accordance with Rule 13d-1(k)(1) promulgated under the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the undersigned hereby agree to the joint filing with each other on behalf of each of them of to such a statement on Schedule 13G with respect to the common stock of beneficially owned by each of them. This Joint Filing Agreement shall be included as an exhibit to such Schedule 13G.

Dated: February 12, 2009

Bank of America Corporation

NB Holdings Corporation

BAC North America Holding Company

BANA Holding Corporation

Bank of America, N.A.

By: /s/ Charles F. Bowman

Charles F. Bowman Senior Vice President

Columbia Management Group, LLC Columbia Management Advisors, LLC

By: /s/ Michael A. Jones

Michael A. Jones

President

Bank of America Securities Holdings Corporation

By: /s/ Robert Qutub

Robert Qutub

President

Bank of America Securities LLC NMS Services Inc. NMS Services (Cayman) Inc.

By: /s/ Matthew Smith

Matthew Smith

Managing Director

Banc of America Investment Advisors, Inc.

By: /s/ Daniel S. McNamara

Daniel S. McNamara

President