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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 10% Owner _X__ Officer (give title _ Other (specify 3600 LAS VEGAS BLVD. SOUTH 05/03/2005 below) SENIOR VP & SENIOR COUNSEL (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting LAS VEGAS, NV 89109 Person

(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Table	I - Non-D	erivative Securities Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly 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 onAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
			Code V	(A) or Amount (D) Price	Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND					4,000 (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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of or 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)	\$ 68.1 (2)	05/03/2005	05/03/2005	A	40,000	05/03/2006	05/03/2012	Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND	40,000

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

Signatures

Bryan L. Wright, Attorney-In-Fact 05/04/2005

**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 2005 Omnibus Incentive Plan. Vesting plan calls for options to become exercisable in equal 20% yearly amounts commencing on the first anniversary of the grant date.

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