

MGM MIRAGE
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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 *
TAYLOR DANIEL J

(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)
05/13/2008

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)

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 Ownership Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Code V Amount (D) Price		

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	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)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
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	Derivative Security			Code	V	or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number of Shares
						(A)	(D)				
Stock Appreciation Rights	\$ 50.45 <u>(1)</u>	05/13/2008	05/13/2008	A		20,000		05/13/2009	05/13/2015	Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND	20,000
Stock Appreciation Rights	\$ 70.64							03/20/2008	03/20/2014	Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND	20,000
Stock Appreciation Rights	\$ 79.98							05/22/2008	05/22/2014	Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND	20,000
Stock Appreciation Rights	\$ 85.4							02/01/2008	02/01/2012	Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND	40,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
TAYLOR DANIEL J 3600 LAS VEGAS BLVD. SOUTH LAS VEGAS, NV 89109	X			

Signatures

Bryan L. Wright, Attorney
In Fact 05/14/2008

__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) SARs granted under MGM MIRAGE 2005 Omnibus Incentive Plan. Vesting plan calls for SARs to become exercisable in equal 20% yearly amounts commencing on the first anniversary of the grant date.
- (2)

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Grant by Tracinda Corporation to the reporting person, who is an employee of Tracinda Corporation, of stock appreciation rights to receive cash with respect to 400,000 shares of common stock of MGM MIRAGE held by Tracinda Corporation as partial compensation for services to Tracinda Corporation. Vesting calls for 25% per year on February 1, 2008, 2009, 2010 and 2011. Ownership of the common stock is retained directly by Tracinda Corporation and indirectly by Kirk Kerkorian who owns all of the outstanding shares of common stock of Tracinda Corporation.

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