

Williams S Linn
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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 *
Williams S Linn

(Last) (First) (Middle)
1155 PERIMETER CENTER W
(Street)

ATLANTA, GA 30338

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
MIRANT CORP [MIR]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
01/13/2006

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)
Executive V.P & Gen. Counsel

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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 Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of 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 | 2. Conversion or Exercise | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any | 4. Transaction Code | 5. Number of Derivative Securities | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------|------------------------------------|--|---|
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| (Instr. 3) | Price of Derivative Security | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) | Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount Number Shares |
|-----------------------|------------------------------|------------------|------------|---|---------|------------------|-----------------|--------------|----------------------|
| | | | | Code | V | | | | |
| Stock Options | \$ 24.64 | 01/13/2006 | A | | 108,225 | <u>(1)</u> | 01/13/2016 | Common Stock | 108,225 |
| Restricted Stock Unit | <u>(2)</u> | 01/13/2006 | A | | 21,645 | <u>(3)</u> | <u>(3)</u> | Common Stock | 21,645 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|------------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Williams S Linn 1155 PERIMETER CENTER W ATLANTA, GA 30338 | | | Executive V.P & Gen. Counsel | |

Signatures

/s/ Julia A. Houston,
Attorney-in-Fact

01/17/2006

 **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) The stock options have a 3 year vesting period, 25% on 7/3/06, 25% on 1/3/07, 25% on 1/3/08 and 25% on 1/3/09.
- (2) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Mirant Corporation common stock.
- (3) The restricted stock unit has a 3 year vesting period, 25% on 7/3/06, 25% on 1/3/07, 25% on 1/3/08 and 25% on 1/3/09. Vested shares will be delivered to the reporting person 6 months after their termination date.

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