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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * REDMOND JOHN (Last) (First) (Middle)		ng Person *	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MGM MIRAGE [MGM]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check an applicable)		
3600 LAS VEC	GAS BLVD	. SOUTH	(Month/Day/Year) 08/01/2005	X Director 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (specify below) PRESIDENT & CEO - MGM GRAND RE		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
LAS VEGAS, I	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) Tal	ble I - Non-	-Derivative	ed, 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securitie or Disposed o (Instr. 3, 4) Amount	f(D)	uired (A) or Price	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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND	08/01/2005	08/01/2005	M	200,000	A	\$ 12.74	326,662 (1)	D	
Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND	08/01/2005	08/01/2005	S	25,000	D	\$ 45.0081	301,662 (1)	D	
Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND	08/01/2005	08/01/2005	S	175,000	D	\$ 45.0619	126,662 (1)	D	

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Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND	08/02/2005	08/02/2005	M	160,000	A	\$ 12.74	286,662 (1)	D
Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND	08/02/2005	08/02/2005	S	700	D	\$ 45.07	285,962 (1)	D
Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND	08/02/2005	08/02/2005	S	1,600	D	\$ 45.06	284,362 (1)	D
Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND	08/02/2005	08/02/2005	S	200	D	\$ 45.05	284,162 (1)	D
Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND	08/02/2005	08/02/2005	S	500	D	\$ 45.04	283,662 (1)	D
Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND	08/02/2005	08/02/2005	S	1,900	D	\$ 45.03	281,762 (1)	D
Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND	08/02/2005	08/02/2005	S	6,500	D	\$ 45.02	275,262 (1)	D
Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND	08/02/2005	08/02/2005	S	600	D	\$ 45.01	274,662 (1)	D
Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND	08/02/2005	08/02/2005	S	51,700	D	\$ 45	222,962 (1)	D
Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND	08/02/2005	08/02/2005	S	500	D	\$ 44.99	222,462 (1)	D
Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND	08/02/2005	08/02/2005	S	800	D	\$ 44.98	221,662 (1)	D
	08/02/2005	08/02/2005	S	1,900	D	\$ 44.97	219,762 (1)	D

Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND								
Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND	08/02/2005	08/02/2005	S	600	D	\$ 44.96	219,162 (1)	D
Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND	08/02/2005	08/02/2005	S	69,800	D	\$ 44.95	149,362 (1)	D
Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND	08/02/2005	08/02/2005	S	2,600	D	\$ 44.94	146,762 (1)	D
Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND	08/02/2005	08/02/2005	S	400	D	\$ 44.93	146,362 (1)	D
Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND	08/02/2005	08/02/2005	S	1,400	D	\$ 44.92	144,962 (1)	D
Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND	08/02/2005	08/02/2005	S	15,900	D	\$ 44.9	129,062 (1)	D
Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND	08/02/2005	08/02/2005	S	2,400	D	\$ 44.91	126,662 (1)	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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5. Number of	6. Date Exercisable and	7. Title and Amount of
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	orDerivative	Expiration Date	Underlying Securities
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	Securities	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 3 and 4)
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) or		
	Derivative				Disposed of (D)		
	Security				(Instr. 3, 4, and		

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				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount of Number of Shares
Emp Stk Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 12.74	08/01/2005	08/01/2005	M			200,000	02/27/2004	02/27/2013	Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND	200,000
Emp Stk Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 12.74	08/02/2005	08/02/2005	M			160,000	02/27/2004	02/27/2013	Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND	160,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

REDMOND JOHN
3600 LAS VEGAS BLVD. SOUTH X PRESIDENT & CEO - MGM GRAND RE

LAS VEGAS, NV 89109

Signatures

Bryan L. Wright, Attorney-In-Fact 08/02/2005

**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).
- 75,000 of these shares (on a post-split basis) are subject to certain restrictions contained in a Restricted Stock Agreement dated as of June

 (1) 3, 2002 between MGM MIRAGE and the issuee of the shares, which restrictions terminate 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.

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