**MGM MIRAGE** Form 4 October 08, 2008

## FORM 4

#### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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(Print or Type Responses)

1 Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

See Instruction

JACOBS GARY N			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MGM MIRAGE [MGM]				Issuer			
	(Last) 3600 LAS V	(First) (	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/06/2008				(Check all applicable)  _X_ Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)  EVP, General Counsel & Secy			
(Street)  LAS VEGAS, NV 89109				4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person		
								Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
	(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	ecurities Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned
	1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Dat (Month/Day/Year	) Executi any	emed on Date, if /Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit onAcquired Disposed (Instr. 3,	(A) or of (D) 4 and 5) (A) or	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				Code v	Amount	(D) Price	8,790	D	
	Common Stock \$.01 Par Value							30,024	I	GRAT August 18, 2008 Gary

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Trustee

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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)	e Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, i or Exercise any		Execution Date, if	4. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amou Underlying Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Am Nur Sha
Employee Stock Appreciation Rights	\$ 19	10/06/2008	10/06/2008	A	112,500 (1)	10/06/2009	10/06/2015	Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND	11:
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 19	10/06/2008	10/06/2008	A	11,250 (2)	10/06/2009	10/06/2015	Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND	11
Emp Stk Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 12.74					02/27/2004	02/27/2013	Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND	24
Emp Stk Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 16.6563					06/01/2001	06/01/2010	Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND	27
Emp Stk Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 34.05					05/03/2006	05/03/2012	Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND	40

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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LAS VEGAS, NV 89109

### **Signatures**

John McManus, Attorney-In-Fact

\*\*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) Stock Appreciation Rights (SARs) granted under MGM MIRAGE 2005 Omnibus Incentive Plan. Vesting plan calls for SARs to become exercisable in equal 25% yearly amounts commencing on the first anniversary of the grant date.
- Restricted Stock Units (RSUs) granted under MGM MIRAGE 2005 Omnibus Incentive Plan. The RSUs are subject to meeting minimum (2) performance criteria set by the Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors of MGM MIRAGE. Provided such criteria are met, the RSUs will vest in four equal 25% yearly amounts commencing on October 6, 2009.

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