

LAMAR ADVERTISING CO/NEW
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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 *
SPO ADVISORY CORP

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
LAMAR ADVERTISING CO/NEW
[LAMR]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
591 REDWOOD HIGHWAY,
SUITE 3215,

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
08/28/2007

____ Director
____ Officer (give title below)
____ 10% Owner
____ Other (specify below)

MILL VALLEY, CA 94941

(City) (State) (Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
____ Form filed by One Reporting Person
____ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	08/28/2007		P		62	A	\$ 52.18	9,813,012	I (1) (2) (3)	See footnotes
Common Stock	08/28/2007		P		2,428	A	\$ 52.19	9,815,440	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	08/28/2007		P		1,705	A	\$ 52.2	9,817,145	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	08/28/2007		P		510	A	\$ 52.24	9,817,655	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	08/28/2007		P		23,213	A	\$ 52.25	9,840,868	I	See footnotes

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Common Stock	08/28/2007	P	17,839	A	\$ 52.3	9,858,707	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	08/28/2007	P	3,284	A	\$ 52.31	9,861,991	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	08/28/2007	P	200	A	\$ 52.32	9,862,191	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	08/28/2007	P	7,114	A	\$ 52.35	9,869,305	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	08/28/2007	P	300	A	\$ 52.36	9,869,605	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	08/28/2007	P	1,425	A	\$ 52.37	9,871,030	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	08/28/2007	P	200	A	\$ 52.38	9,871,230	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	08/28/2007	P	8,746	A	\$ 52.4	9,879,976	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	08/28/2007	P	29	A	\$ 52.41	9,880,005	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	08/28/2007	P	868	A	\$ 52.42	9,880,873	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	08/28/2007	P	15,002	A	\$ 52.43	9,895,875	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	08/28/2007	P	1,495	A	\$ 52.44	9,897,370	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	08/28/2007	P	15,311	A	\$ 52.45	9,912,681	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	08/28/2007	P	1,495	A	\$ 52.46	9,914,176	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	08/28/2007	P	840	A	\$ 52.47	9,915,016	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	08/28/2007	P	4,141	A	\$ 52.48	9,919,157	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	08/28/2007	P	200	A	\$ 52.49	9,919,357	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	08/28/2007	P	8,920	A	\$ 52.5	9,928,277	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	08/28/2007	P	200	A	\$ 52.54	9,928,477	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	08/28/2007	P	2,782	A	\$ 52.55	9,931,259	I	See footnotes
	08/28/2007	P	1,816	A		9,933,075	I	

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Common Stock					\$ 52.56				See footnotes
Common Stock	08/28/2007		P	500	A	\$ 52.59	9,933,575	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	08/28/2007		P	9,375	A	\$ 52.6	9,942,950	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	08/28/2007		P	10,000	A	\$ 52.65	9,952,950	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	08/29/2007		P	500	A	\$ 51.76	9,953,450	I	See footnotes

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of 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)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Owned Beneficially (Instr. 5)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SPO ADVISORY CORP 591 REDWOOD HIGHWAY, SUITE 3215 MILL VALLEY, CA 94941		X		
SPO ADVISORY PARTNERS LP 591 REDWOOD HIGHWAY, SUITE 3215 MILL VALLEY, CA 94941		X		
		X		

SPO PARTNERS II LP 591 REDWOOD HIGHWAY, SUITE 3215 MILL VALLEY, CA 94941	
SCULLY JOHN H 591 REDWOOD HIGHWAY, SUITE 3215 MILL VALLEY, CA 94941	X
OBERNDORF WILLIAM E 591 REDWOOD HIGHWAY, SUITE 3215 MILL VALLEY, CA 94941	X
PATTERSON WILLIAM J 591 REDWOOD HIGHWAY, SUITE 3215 MILL VALLEY, CA 94941	X
PHOEBE SNOW FOUNDATION 591 REDWOOD HIGHWAY , SUITE 3215 MILL VALLEY, CA 94941	X
Elizabeth R. & William J. Patterson Foundation 591 REDWOOD HIGHWAY SUITE 3215 MILL VALLEY, CA 94941	X

Signatures

Kim M. Silva,
Attorney-in-Fact

08/30/2007

__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 entities acquiring these shares are SPO Partners II, L.P. ("SPO Partners"), which bought 212,340 shares, Phoebe Snow Foundation ("PSF"), which bought 7,600 shares and The Elizabeth R. & William J. Patterson Foundation ("WJPFND"), which bought 400 shares.
- As a result of the purchases causing this filing, 9,340,540 shares of the issuer's common stock are owned directly by SPO Partners, and may be deemed to be indirectly beneficially owned by (i)SPO Advisory Partners, L.P ("SPO Advisory"), the sole general partner of SPO Partners, (ii)SPO Advisory Corp. ("SPO Corp."), the sole general partner of SPO Advisory, and (iii) John H. Scully ("JHS"),
- (2) William E. Oberndorf ("WEO") and William J. Patterson ("WJP"), the three controlling persons of SPO Corp. 461,130 shares of the issuer's common stock are owned directly by San Francisco Partners II, L.P., ("SF Partners"), and may be deemed to be indirectly beneficially owned by (i) SF Advisory Partners, L.P. ("SF Advisory"), the sole general partner of SF Partners, (ii) SPO Corp., the sole general partner of SF Advisory, and (iii) JHS, WEO & WJP, the three controlling persons of SPO Corp.
- Additionally, as a result of the purchases causing this filing, 218,600 shares of the issuer's common stock are owned directly by PSF.
- (3) Additionally, JHS owns 3,100 shares in his IRAs, which are self-directed. Additionally, as a result of the purchases causing this filing, 9,500 shares are owned by WJPFND. Additionally, WJP owns 300 shares in his IRA, which is self-directed. Additionally, 120 shares of the issuer's common stock are owned directly by Eli J. Weinberg.

Remarks:

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The individuals listed in the notes above (each a "Reporting Person") may be deemed to form a "group", as such term is defined

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