Elizabeth R. & William J. Patterson Foundation

Form 4

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# FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * SPO ADVISORY CORP		ing Person *	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
			LAMAR ADVERTISING CO/NEW [LAMR]	(Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)	DirectorX 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify			
591 REDWOOD HIGHWAY,			09/26/2007	below) below)			

**SUITE 3215,** 

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Form filed by One Reporting Person \_X\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

#### MILL VALLEY, CA 94941

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-l	Derivative	Secu	rities Acqu	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly 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. Securi on(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose	d of (D)	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	09/26/2007		P	5,642	A		10,085,170	I (1) (2) (3)	See footnotes
Common Stock	09/26/2007		P	500	A	\$ 47.85	10,085,670	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	09/26/2007		P	1,400	A	\$ 47.86	10,087,070	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	09/26/2007		P	900	A	\$ 47.87	10,087,970	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	09/26/2007		P	500	A	\$ 47.88	10,088,470	I	See footnotes

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Common Stock	09/26/2007	P	191	A	\$ 47.89	10,088,661	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	09/26/2007	P	100	A	\$ 47.895	10,088,761	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	09/26/2007	P	4,300	A	\$ 47.9	10,093,061	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	09/26/2007	P	400	A	\$ 47.91	10,093,461	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	09/26/2007	P	500	A	\$ 47.92	10,093,961	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	09/26/2007	P	100	A	\$ 47.925	10,094,061	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	09/26/2007	P	1,509	A	\$ 47.93	10,095,570	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	09/26/2007	P	1,700	A	\$ 47.94	10,097,270	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	09/26/2007	P	100	A	\$ 47.945	10,097,370	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	09/26/2007	P	7,529	A	\$ 47.95	10,104,899	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	09/26/2007	P	100	A	\$ 47.96	10,104,999	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	09/26/2007	P	1,200	A	\$ 47.98	10,106,199	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	09/26/2007	P	300	A	\$ 47.99	10,106,499	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	09/27/2007	P	100	A	\$ 48.98	10,106,599	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	09/27/2007	P	200	A	\$ 49.01	10,106,799	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	09/27/2007	P	100	A	\$ 49.02	10,106,899	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	09/27/2007	P	600	A	\$ 49.03	10,107,499	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	09/27/2007	P	400	A	\$ 49.04	10,107,899	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	09/27/2007	P	100	A	\$ 49.05	10,107,999	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	09/27/2007	P	1,010	A	\$ 49.06	10,109,009	I	See footnotes
	09/27/2007	P	500	A	\$ 49.07	10,109,509	I	

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Common Stock	09/27/2007	P	590	A	\$ 49.08	10,110,099	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	09/27/2007	P	1,000	A	\$ 49.09	10,111,099	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	09/27/2007	P	4,000	A	\$ 49.1	10,115,099	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	09/27/2007	P	4,638	A	\$ 49.11	10,119,737	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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	7. Titl Amou Under Secur (Instr.	int of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
1 8	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				
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SPO PARTNERS II LP 591 REDWOOD HIGHWAY, SUITE 3215 MILL VALLEY, CA 94941	
SF ADVISORY PARTNERS LP 591 REDWOOD HIGHWAY , SUITE 3215 MILL VALLEY, CA 94941	X
SAN FRANCISCO PARTNERS II LP 591 REDWOOD HIGHWAY, SUITE 3215 MILL VALLEY, CA 94941	X
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 09/28/2007

\*\*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).
- The entities acquiring these shares are SPO Partners II, L.P. ("SPO Partners"), which bought 155,429 shares, San Francisco Partners II, L.P. ("SF Partners"), which bought 8,500 shares, Phoebe Snow Foundation ("PSF"), which bought 3,900 shares and The Elizabeth R. & William J. Patterson Foundation ("WJPFND"), which bought 200 shares.
  - As a result of the purchases causing this filing, 9,495,969 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. Additionally, 469,630 shares of the issuer's common stock are owned directly by 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, 222,500 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, 9,700 shares are owned by WJPFND.

  Additionally, WJP owns 300 shares in his IRA, which is self-directed.

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