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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| SPO ADVISO | Name and Address of Reporting Person* SPO ADVISORY CORP Last) (First) (Middle) S91 REDWOOD HIGHWAY, SUITE 3215 | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol LAMAR ADVERTISING CO/NEW [LAMR] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/23/2008 | | tionship of Reporting I all applicable) Director Officer (give title below) | Persol X | n(s) to Issuer 10% Owner Other (specify below) |
|-----------------------------------|--|----------------|---|------------------------|---|-------------|---|
| (Street) MILL VALLEY (City) | CA (State) | 94941 (Zip) | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | 6. Indiv Line) X | idual or Joint/Group F Form filed by One F Form filed by More P Person | Report | ing 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. Transa Code (8) | | 4. Securities Disposed Of 5) | Acquired (D) (Instr | (A) or . 3, 4 and | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership |
|---------------------------------|--|---|------------------------------|---|------------------------------------|------------------------|----------------------|---|---|---|
| | | | Code | v | Amount (A) (D) | | Price | Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | (Instr. 4) |
| Common Stock | 06/23/2008 | | Р | | 4,538 | A | \$33.74 | 13,609,694 | I(1)(2)(3) | See footnotes |
| Common Stock | 06/23/2008 | | Р | | 1,220 | A | \$33.75 | 13,610,914 | I | See footnotes |
| Common Stock | 06/23/2008 | | Р | | 1,900 | A | \$33.76 | 13,612,814 | I | See footnotes |
| Common Stock | 06/23/2008 | | Р | | 5,100 | A | \$33.77 | 13,617,914 | I | See footnote |
| Common Stock | 06/23/2008 | | Р | | 2,700 | A | \$33.78 | 13,620,614 | I | See footnote |
| Common Stock | 06/23/2008 | | Р | | 5,571 | A | \$33.79 | 13,626,185 | I | See footnote |
| Common Stock | 06/23/2008 | | Р | | 3,029 | A | \$33.8 | 13,629,214 | I | See footnote |
| Common Stock | 06/23/2008 | | Р | | 2,600 | A | \$33.81 | 13,631,814 | I | See footnotes |
| Common Stock | 06/23/2008 | | Р | | 3,965 | A | \$33.82 | 13,635,779 | I | See footnote |
| Common Stock | 06/23/2008 | | Р | | 2,935 | A | \$33.83 | 13,638,714 | I | See footnote |
| Common Stock | 06/23/2008 | | Р | | 1,400 | A | \$33.84 | 13,640,114 | I | See footnote |
| Common Stock | 06/23/2008 | | Р | | 800 | A | \$33.85 | 13,640,914 | I | See footnotes |
| Common Stock | 06/23/2008 | | Р | | 1,500 | A | \$33.86 | 13,642,414 | I | See footnote |
| Common Stock | 06/23/2008 | | Р | | 1,200 | A | \$33.87 | 13,643,614 | I | See footnotes |
| Common Stock | 06/23/2008 | | Р | | 1,800 | A | \$33.88 | 13,645,414 | I | See footnote |
| Common Stock | 06/23/2008 | | Р | | 1,900 | A | \$33.89 | 13,647,314 | I | See footnote |
| Common Stock | 06/23/2008 | | Р | | 1,900 | A | \$33.9 | 13,649,214 | I | See footnote |
| Common Stock | 06/23/2008 | | Р | | 400 | A | \$33.91 | 13,649,614 | I | See footnotes |

| 1 | | Tabl | e I - Non-D | Deriva | ative S | ecur | ities | Acq | uired, | Dis | oosed of | , or E | Bene | eficially | Owne | ed | | |
|--|---|--|--|--|---------|---|--|------|--|--------|---------------------------------------|--------|---|--|---|--|---|---|
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | | | Da | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | | | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year | | 3. Transaction Code (Instr 8) | | 4. Securitie Disposed (5) | | | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following | | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership |
| 1 | | | | | | | | Code | v | Amount | (A) (D) | or | Price | Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | | (Instr. 4) | |
| Common | Stock | | (| 06/23, | /2008 | | | | Р | | 500 | | A | \$33.92 | 13, | 650,114 | Ι | See footnotes |
| Common | Stock | | (| 06/23, | /2008 | | | | Р | | 500 | | A | \$33.93 | 13, | 650,614 | Ι | See footnotes |
| Common | Stock | | (| 06/23 | /2008 | | | | Р | | 300 | 1 | A | \$33.94 | 13, | 650,914 | Ι | See footnotes |
| Common | Stock | | (| 06/23, | /2008 | | | | Р | | 100 | 1 | A | \$33.95 | 13, | 651,014 | I | See footnotes |
| Common | Stock | | | 06/23 | /2008 | | | | Р | | 900 | 1 | A | \$33.96 | 13, | 651,914 | Ι | See footnotes |
| Common | Stock | | | 06/23/ | /2008 | | | | Р | | 1,400 | 1 | A | \$33.97 | 13, | 653,314 | Ι | See footnotes |
| Common | Stock | | | 06/23, | /2008 | | | | Р | | 900 | 1 | A | \$33.98 | 13, | 654,214 | Ι | See footnotes |
| Common | Stock | | | 06/23 | /2008 | | | | Р | | 1,000 | 1 | A | \$34 | 13, | 655,214 | Ι | See footnotes |
| Common | Stock | | | 06/23 | /2008 | | | | Р | | 300 | 1 | A | \$34.01 | 13, | 655,514 | Ι | See footnotes |
| Common | Stock | | | 06/23 | /2008 | | | | Р | | 100 | 1 | A | \$34.03 | 13, | 655,614 | Ι | See footnotes |
| Common | Stock | | (| 06/23 | /2008 | | | | Р | | 200 | 1 | A | \$34.04 | 13, | 655,814 | Ι | See footnotes |
| Common | Stock | | (| 06/24 | /2008 | | | | Р | | 100 | 1 | A | \$32.74 | 13, | 655,914 | Ι | See footnotes |
| I | | Та | ble II - Dei (e.ç | | | | | | | | | | | | wned | | | |
| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Da if any (Month/Day/Y | Code (Instr. Derivative | | Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Ye irities irred r osed) 3, 4 | | | n Date A ay/Year) S L D S | | Amount of De Securities Securities | | Price of rivative curity str. 5) | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction((Instr. 4) | Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | | |
| | | | | | Code V | | A) (i | | Date Exercisal | | Expiration Date | Title | or | ount nber res | | | | |
| | nd Address of | Reporting Person* | · | | | | | | | | | | , | · | | | · | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (Last) 591 REE | | (First) GHWAY, SUITH | (Middle) E 3215 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (Street) MILL V | ALLEY | CA | 94941 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (City) | | (State) | (Zip) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | Reporting Person* | <u>S LP</u> | | | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (Last) (First) (Middle) 591 REDWOOD HIGHWAY, SUITE 3215 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (Street) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| MILL V | ALLEY | CA | 94941 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

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| 1. Name and Address of SF ADVISORY | of Reporting Person [*] 7 PARTNERS LP | 2 | | | | | | | |
|--|---|------------------|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| (Last) 591 REDWOOD H | (First) IIGHWAY , SUITE 3 | (Middle) 3215 | | | | | | | |
| (Street) MILL VALLEY | CA | 94941 | | | | | | | |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | | | | | | | |
| 1. Name and Address of SPO PARTNEE | | | | | | | | | |
| (Last) 591 REDWOOD H | (First) IIGHWAY, SUITE 32 | (Middle) 215 | | | | | | | |
| (Street) MILL VALLEY | CA | 94941 | | | | | | | |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | | | | | | | |
| 1. Name and Address of SAN FRANCIS | of Reporting Person [*] | <u>II LP</u> | | | | | | | |
| (Last) 591 REDWOOD H | (First) IIGHWAY, SUITE 32 | (Middle) 215 | | | | | | | |
| (Street) MILL VALLEY | СА | 94941 | | | | | | | |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | | | | | | | |
| | 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] SCULLY JOHN H | | | | | | | | |
| (Last) 591 REDWOOD H | (First) IIGHWAY, SUITE 32 | (Middle) 215 | | | | | | | |
| (Street) MILL VALLEY | СА | 94941 | | | | | | | |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | | | | | | | |
| 1. Name and Address of OBERNDORF | | | | | | | | | |
| (Last) 591 REDWOOD H | (First) IIGHWAY, SUITE 32 | (Middle) 215 | | | | | | | |
| (Street) MILL VALLEY | СА | 94941 | | | | | | | |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | | | | | | | |
| 1. Name and Address of PATTERSON V | | | | | | | | | |
| (Last) 591 REDWOOD H | (First) IIGHWAY, SUITE 32 | (Middle) 215 | | | | | | | |
| (Street) MILL VALLEY | СА | 94941 | | | | | | | |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | | | | | | | |
| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] <u>PHOEBE SNOW FOUNDATION</u> | | | | | | | | | |

| (Last) | (First) | (Middle) | | | | | | | | |
|--|----------------------------------|----------|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| 591 REDWOOD H | 591 REDWOOD HIGHWAY , SUITE 3215 | | | | | | | | | |
| (Street) MILL VALLEY | СА | 94941 | | | | | | | | |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | | | | | | | | |
| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] Elizabeth R. & William J. Patterson Foundation | | | | | | | | | | |
| (Last) | (First) | (Middle) | | | | | | | | |
| 591 REDWOOD H | IIGHWAY | | | | | | | | | |
| SUITE 3215 | | | | | | | | | | |
| (Street) | | | | | | | | | | |
| MILL VALLEY | CA | 94941 | | | | | | | | |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | | | | | | | | |

Explanation of Responses:

1. The entities directly acquiring the shares reported on this form are SPO Partners II, L.P. ("SPO Partners"), which bought 1,206,400 shares, San Francisco Partners II, L.P. ("SF Partners"), which bought 49,700 shares, Phoebe Snow Foundation ("WJPFND"), which bought 19,900 shares, The Elizabeth R. And William J. Patterson Foundation ("WJPFND"), which bought 2,100 shares, John H. Scully ("JHS"), who bought 1,200 shares, William E. Oberndorf ("WEO"), who bought 17,000 shares and William J. Patterson ("WJP") who bought 100 shares.

2. Due to the purchases causing this filing and related filings today, 13,949,784 shares of the issuer's common stock are owned directly by SPO Partners II, L.P. ("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) JHS, WEO and WJP, the three controlling persons of SPO Corp. Additionally, 721,530 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"), the sole general partner of SF Partners, (iii) SPO Corp., the sole general partner of SF Advisory, and (iii) JHS, WEO & WJP, the three controlling persons of SPO Corp.

3. Additionally, as a result of the purchases causing this filing and related filings today, PSF owns 278,100 shares and WJPFND owns 50,800 shares. Additionally, JHS owns 17,500 shares in his IRAs, which are self-directed. Additionally, WEO owns 17,000 in his IRA which is self directed and WJP owns 1,700 shares in his IRA, which is self-directed.

Remarks:

Form 2 of 7 The individuals listed in the notes above (each a "Reporting Person") may be deemed to form a "group", as such term is defined in Rule 13d-5(b)(1) promulgated under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, for the purposes of this filing. This filing shall not be deemed as an admission by any Reporting Person that such person is, for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or otherwise, the beneficial owner of any equity securities covered by this statement. Each Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of the reported securities except to the extent of their respective pecuniary interests, if any, therein.

Kim M. Silva, Attorney-in-Fact 06/25/2008

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

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