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| | \ '' | | or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 | | | | | | |
| | Address of Reporting F | Person* | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol LAMAR ADVERTISING CO/NEW [LAME | | ationship of R k all applicabl Director | Reporting Person(s) to Issuer ble) X 10% Own | | | |
| (Last) | (First) | (Middle) |] | x | Officer (giv below) | /e title | | Other (speci below) | ify |
| . , | AR ADVERTISING | G COMPANY | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/01/2009 | | Pr | President and CEO | | | |
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| (Street) | | | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | Line) | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applica Line) | | | | |
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| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | | | | | | | |
| | | Table I - Non | -Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Bene | ficially | Owned | | | | |
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| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | | Transaction Code (Instr. | | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | | 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 | | (A) or (D) | Price | Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | (Instr. 4) |

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. Transa Code (8) | | Derivative | | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4) | | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported | 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---|---|--|---|------------------------------|---|------------|--------|--|--------------------|---|--|---|--|--|--|
| | | | | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) | | |
| Stock Option (right to buy) | \$26.42 | 07/01/2009 | | D | | | 97,500 | (1) | 09/27/2011 | Class A Common Stock | 97,500 | (2) | 0 | D | |
| Stock Option (right to buy) | \$37.35 | 07/01/2009 | | D | | | 25,000 | (3) | 02/06/2014 | Class A Common Stock | 25,000 | (2) | 0 | D | |
| Stock Option (right to buy) | \$15.67 | 07/02/2009 | | A | | 82,222 | | (4) | 07/02/2019 | Class A Common Stock | 82,222 | (2) | 82,222 | D | |

Explanation of Responses:

1. This option vested as to 40% immediately on the grant date, September 27, 2001, and an additional 30% on each of the next two anniversaries of the grant date.

2. On July 2, 2009, pursuant to the issuer's option exchange program, the issuer cancelled options granted to the reporting person on September 27, 2001 and February 6, 2004 and issued a replacement option to the reporting person for 82,222 shares, having an exercise price equal to the closing price of the underlying Class A common stock on the grant date, as reported by the Nasdaq Global Select Market.

3. This option vested as to 20% immediately on the grant date, February 6, 2004, and an additional 20% on each of the next four anniversaries of the grant date.

4. 20% of the shares subject to this option vested on July 2, 2009, and an additional 20% of the shares subject to this option will vest on each of the first four anniversaries of July 2, 2009, such that this option will be fully vested on July 2, 2013, provided that vesting is conditioned on the reporting person's continued active service to the Company or one of its subsidiaries through each applicable vesting date.

Remarks:

/s/ James McIlwain, as attorney-07/06/2009

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** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).

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