FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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			or Section 30(n) of the investment Company Act of 1940	
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)  Director X 10% Owner  Officer (give title Other (specify
(Last) 591 REDWOOD	(First) HIGHWAY, SUIT	(Middle) FE 3215	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/23/2007	below) below)
(Street) MILL VALLEY	CA	94941	4. If Amendment, Date of 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
(City)	(State)	(Zip)		reisuii

Table I	- Non-Derivative S	ecurities Acq	uired,	Dis	posed of,	or Ben	eficially	Owned		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	str. 3)  2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Year)  2. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Year)  (Month/Day/Year)  2. Transaction Code (Instr. 5)  4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4)		(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) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)
Common Stock	08/24/2007		P		500	A	\$52.72	9,770,948	I(1)(2)(3)	See footnotes
Common Stock	08/24/2007		P		1,062	A	\$52.73	9,772,010	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	08/24/2007		P		2,160	A	\$52.74	9,774,170	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	08/24/2007		P		8,978	A	\$52.75	9,783,148	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	08/24/2007		P		1,009	A	\$52.76	9,784,157	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	08/24/2007		P		2,566	A	\$52.77	9,786,723	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	08/24/2007		P		1,500	A	\$52.78	9,788,223	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	08/24/2007		P		1,227	A	\$52.79	9,789,450	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	08/24/2007		P		1,581	A	\$52.8	9,791,031	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	08/24/2007		P		640	A	\$52.81	9,791,671	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	08/24/2007		P		500	A	\$52.87	9,792,171	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	08/24/2007		P		300	A	\$52.89	9,792,471	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	08/24/2007		P		3,279	A	\$52.9	9,795,750	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	08/24/2007		P		300	A	\$52.92	9,796,050	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	08/24/2007		P		200	A	\$52.93	9,796,250	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	08/27/2007		P		16,700	A	\$52.95	9,812,950	I	See footnotes

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 Ta Date (Month/Day/Year)	Big Prent Periva Execution Date, if any (e.g., p (Month/Day/Year)	tive Secur Transaction USuconsus, 8)	ritfesumedu if Chiefresies de Port, of Chiefresies de		Of Beneficiall Amount of Lindense Market Ities) Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		y <sup>8</sup> <b>GriPACH</b> Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) Code V	5. Nu of Deriv Secu (A0)qu	rities ir(€721)	6. Date Exerc Expiration Da (Month/Day/) Date Exercisable	te	Amour t <b>o</b> f Securiti <b>e</b> sumber piration Underly <b>in</b> g		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
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(Last) 591 RED	I	(First) GHWAY, SUITE	(Middle) E 3215	Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
(Street)	ALLEY	CA	94941											
(City)		(State)	(Zip)											
1		Reporting Person* Y PARTNER	S LP											
(Last) 591 RED		(First) GHWAY, SUITE	(Middle) E 3215											
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1. Name and Address of Reporting  $\mathsf{Person}^*$ 

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591 REDWOOD HIGHWAY, SUITE 3215

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person\* PATTERSON WILLIAM J

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person\* **OBERNDORF WILLIAM E** 

(Middle)

94941

(Zip)

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SCULLY JOHN H

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(Street) MILL VALLEY	CA	94941						
(City)	(State)	(Zip)						
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  PHOEBE SNOW FOUNDATION								
(Last) 591 REDWOOD F	(First) IIGHWAY , SUITE 3	(Middle)						
(Street) MILL VALLEY	CA	94941						
(City)	(State)	(Zip)						
Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Elizabeth R. & William J. Patterson Foundation								
(Last) (First) (Middle) 591 REDWOOD HIGHWAY SUITE 3215								
(Street) MILL VALLEY	CA	94941						
(City)	(State)	(Zip)						

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. The entities acquiring these shares are SPO Partners II, L.P. ("SPO Partners"), which bought 157,000 shares, Phoebe Snow Foundation ("PSF"), which bought 3,700 shares and The Elizabeth R. & William J. Patterson Foundation ("WJPFND"), which bought 100 shares.
- 2. As a result of the purchases causing this filing, 9,128,200 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"), 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 Partners, (ii) SPO Corp., the sole general partner of SF Partners, (iii) SPO Corp., the sole general partner of SF Partners, (iii) SPO Corp., the sole general partner of SF Partners, (iii) SPO Corp., the sole general partner of SF Partners, (iii) SPO Corp., the sole general partner of SF Partners, (iii) SPO Corp., the sole general partner of SF Partners, (iii) SPO Corp., the sole general partner of SF Partners, (iii) SPO Corp., the sole general partner of SF Partners, (iii) SPO Corp., the sole general partner of SF Partners, (iii) SPO Corp., the sole general partner of SF Partners, (iii) SPO Corp., the sole general partner of SF Partners, (iii) SPO Corp., the sole general partner of SF Partners, (iii) SPO Corp., the sole general partner of SF Partners, (iii) SPO Corp., the sole general partner of SF Partners, (iii) SPO Corp., the sole general partner of SF Partners, (iii) SPO Corp., the sole general partner of SF Partners, (iiii) SPO Corp., the sole general partner of SF Partners, (iiii) SPO Corp., the sole general partner of SF Partners, (iiii) SPO Corp., the sole general partner of SF Partners, (iiiii) SPO Corp., the sole general partner of SF Partners, (iiiiii) SPO Corp., the sole general partner of SF Partners,
- 3. Additionally, as a result of the purchases causing this filing, 211,000 shares of the issuer's common stock are owned directly by PSF, and may be deemed to be indirectly beneficially owned by JHS, the controlling person, sole director and executive officer of PSF. Additionally, JHS owns 3,100 shares in his IRAs, which are self-directed. Additionally, 9,100 shares are owned by WJPFND, and may be deemed to be indirectly beneficially owned by WJP solely in his capacity as one of the directors of 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:

Form 2 of 2. 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 08/27/2007

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Dat

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).
- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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