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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)  
06/26/2008

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

MILL VALLEY, CA 94941

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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(City) (State) (Zip)

**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	06/26/2008		P	9,500 A \$ 34.75	14,837,014	I <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u> <u>(3)</u>	See footnotes
Common Stock	06/26/2008		P	10,200 A \$ 35	14,847,214	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	06/26/2008		P	1,600 A \$ 35.01	14,848,814	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	06/26/2008		P	12,100 A \$ 35.02	14,860,914	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	06/26/2008		P	300 A \$ 35.03	14,861,214	I	See footnotes

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Common Stock	06/26/2008	P	600	A	\$ 35.04	14,861,814	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	06/26/2008	P	28,400	A	\$ 35.05	14,890,214	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	06/26/2008	P	5,400	A	\$ 35.06	14,895,614	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	06/26/2008	P	1,100	A	\$ 35.07	14,896,714	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	06/26/2008	P	300	A	\$ 35.08	14,897,014	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	06/26/2008	P	2,000	A	\$ 35.09	14,899,014	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	06/26/2008	P	19,600	A	\$ 35.1	14,918,614	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	06/26/2008	P	300	A	\$ 35.11	14,918,914	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	06/26/2008	P	4,422	A	\$ 35.12	14,923,336	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	06/26/2008	P	11,659	A	\$ 35.13	14,934,995	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	06/26/2008	P	7,578	A	\$ 35.14	14,942,573	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	06/26/2008	P	14,218	A	\$ 35.15	14,956,791	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	06/26/2008	P	11,722	A	\$ 35.16	14,968,513	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	06/26/2008	P	11,500	A	\$ 35.17	14,980,013	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	06/26/2008	P	3,500	A	\$ 35.18	14,983,513	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	06/26/2008	P	3,800	A	\$ 35.19	14,987,313	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	06/26/2008	P	15,201	A	\$ 35.2	15,002,514	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	06/26/2008	P	3,700	A	\$ 35.21	15,006,214	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	06/26/2008	P	900	A	\$ 35.22	15,007,114	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	06/26/2008	P	15,200	A	\$ 35.23	15,022,314	I	See footnotes
	06/26/2008	P	4,600	A		15,026,914	I	

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Common Stock					\$ 35.24				See footnotes
Common Stock	06/26/2008		P	4,200	A	\$ 35.25	15,031,114	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	06/27/2008		P	1,600	A	\$ 34.65	15,032,714	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	06/27/2008		P	400	A	\$ 34.68	15,033,114	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	06/27/2008		P	5,700	A	\$ 34.69	15,038,814	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. 6)
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
				Code	V (A) (D)				

## 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		
SF ADVISORY PARTNERS LP 591 REDWOOD HIGHWAY, SUITE 3215 MILL VALLEY, CA 94941		X		
		X		



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