

MIRANT CORP  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Williams S Linn

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
1155 PERIMETER CENTER W  
(Street)

ATLANTA, GA 30338

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
MIRANT CORP [MIR]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
05/12/2008

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
Executive V.P & Gen. Counsel

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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**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)			
				(A) or (D)	Price					
				Code	V	Amount				
Common Stock	05/12/2008		M		40,584	A	\$ 24.64	40,584	D	
Common Stock	05/12/2008		M		39,920	A	\$ 25.05	80,504	D	
Common Stock	05/12/2008		S		80,504	D	\$ 38.24	0	D	

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. Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options	\$ 24.64	05/12/2008		M	40,584	<u>(1)</u> 01/13/2016	Common Stock	40,584
Stock Options	\$ 25.05	05/12/2008		M	39,920	<u>(2)</u> 02/17/2016	Common Stock	39,920

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Williams S Linn 1155 PERIMETER CENTER W ATLANTA, GA 30338			Executive V.P & Gen. Counsel	

## Signatures

/s/ Julia A. Houston,  
Attorney-in-Fact

05/13/2008

\_\_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).

(1) The stock options were part of a grant of 108,225 options on 1/13/2006 with a 3 year vesting period, 25% on 7/3/2006, 25% on 1/3/2007, 25% on 1/3/2008 and 25% on 1/3/2009. On March 5, 2008, Mr. Williams exercised half of the total vested amount from the vestings on 7/3/2006, 1/3/2007 and 1/3/2008. The 40,584 options exercised are the remaining half of the amounts that vested on 7/3/2006, 1/3/2007 and 1/3/2008.

(2) The stock options were part of a grant of 106,454 options on 2/17/2006 with a 3 year vesting period, 25% on 8/17/2006, 25% on 2/17/2007, 25% on 2/17/2008 and 25% on 2/17/2009. On March 5, 2008, Mr. Williams exercised half of the total vested amounts from the vestings on 8/17/2006, 2/17/2007 and 2/17/2008. The 39,920 options exercised are the remaining half of the amounts that vested on 8/17/2006, 2/17/2007 and 2/17/2008.

(3) The average price of the series of sales of common stock on 5/12/2008 was \$38.24, with the selling prices ranging from \$38.16 to \$38.36.

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