

Williams S Linn
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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 *
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)
01/13/2006

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)
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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 Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Code V Amount (D) Price		

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	2. Conversion or Exercise	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Transaction Code	5. Number of Derivative Securities	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number Shares
Stock Options	\$ 24.64	01/13/2006		A	108,225		(1)	01/13/2016	Common Stock	108,225
Restricted Stock Unit	(2)	01/13/2006		A	21,645		(3)	(3)	Common Stock	21,645

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	01/17/2006
<u> </u> **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 have a 3 year vesting period, 25% on 7/3/06, 25% on 1/3/07, 25% on 1/3/08 and 25% on 1/3/09.
- (2) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Mirant Corporation common stock.
- (3) The restricted stock unit has a 3 year vesting period, 25% on 7/3/06, 25% on 1/3/07, 25% on 1/3/08 and 25% on 1/3/09. Vested shares will be delivered to the reporting person 6 months after their termination date.

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