JAMES PHYLLIS

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1(b).

(Last)

(City)

(Instr. 3)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * JAMES PHYLLIS

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

MGM Resorts International [MGM]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Issuer

(Middle)

(Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Director 10% Owner

3600 LAS VEGAS BLVD. SOUTH

(Street)

(First)

(Month/Day/Year) 12/15/2017

_X__ Officer (give title Other (specify

below) CHIEF DIV & CORP RESP OFFICER

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

LAS VEGAS, NV 89109

(State) 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially (D) or Owned Following (Instr. 4) Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4)

(A)

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

or Code V Amount (D) Price

Common

Stock \$.01 Par Value

ND

8,961 D

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

(Month/Day/Year)

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of or 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(1)</u>	12/15/2017		A	2.8604	10/06/2015	10/06/2018	Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND	2.8604
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(1)</u>	12/15/2017		A	8.434	10/05/2016	10/05/2019	Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND	8.434
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	12/15/2017		A	9.8057	10/03/2017	10/03/2020	Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND	9.8057
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(1)</u>	12/15/2017		A	18.33	11/14/2018	11/14/2021	Common Stock \$.01 Par Value ND	18.33

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer

Other

JAMES PHYLLIS

3600 LAS VEGAS BLVD. SOUTH LAS VEGAS, NV 89109

CHIEF DIV & CORP RESP OFFICER

Signatures

/s/ Andrew Hagopian III, Attorney-In-Fact

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- * 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).
- Restricted Stock Units ("RSUs") granted under the Plan. Each RSU represents the right to receive, following vesting, one share of MGM
- (1) Resorts common stock. The RSUs will vest in four equal annual installments commencing on the first anniversary of the grant date, subject to the terms of the Plan and applicable award agreement.
- (2) Dividend equivalent rights accrue with respect to these RSUs when and as dividends are paid on MGM Resorts International's common stock and vest on the same dates and in the same relative proportions as the RSUs on which they accrue.

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