REILLY SEAN E

Form 4

Common

Stock

12/20/2005

December 21, 2005

| FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION     |                                         |                                                                                                                                                     |                                                                             |              |                                          |           |                                                  | OMB APPROVAL                                                                                                                            |                        |                                                 |  |
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| subject to<br>Section 1<br>Form 4 o                         | 16. <b>STATE</b> IVI                    | STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES                                                                                          |                                                                             |              |                                          |           |                                                  |                                                                                                                                         |                        | Estimated average burden hours per response 0.5 |  |
| Form 5<br>obligatio<br>may con<br><i>See</i> Instr<br>1(b). | Section 17(a                            | 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 |                                                                             |              |                                          |           |                                                  |                                                                                                                                         |                        |                                                 |  |
| (Print or Type                                              | Responses)                              |                                                                                                                                                     |                                                                             |              |                                          |           |                                                  |                                                                                                                                         |                        |                                                 |  |
| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** REILLY SEAN E    |                                         |                                                                                                                                                     | 2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol LAMAR ADVERTISING CO/NEW |              |                                          |           | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer |                                                                                                                                         |                        |                                                 |  |
|                                                             |                                         | [LAMR]                                                                                                                                              |                                                                             |              |                                          |           | (Check all applicable)                           |                                                                                                                                         |                        |                                                 |  |
| (Last) (First) (Middle)                                     |                                         |                                                                                                                                                     | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)                            |              |                                          |           |                                                  | Director 10% Owner Other (specify                                                                                                       |                        |                                                 |  |
|                                                             | AR ADVERTISIN<br>Y, 5551 CORPOR<br>ARD  |                                                                                                                                                     | 12/20/2                                                                     | -            |                                          |           |                                                  | Chief C                                                                                                                                 | below) Deprating Offic | er                                              |  |
| (Street)                                                    |                                         |                                                                                                                                                     | 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 |                        |                                                 |  |
| BATON RO                                                    | OUGE, LA 70808                          |                                                                                                                                                     |                                                                             |              |                                          |           |                                                  | Person                                                                                                                                  | iore man One Re        | porting                                         |  |
| (City)                                                      | (State)                                 | (Zip)                                                                                                                                               | Tabl                                                                        | e I - Non-I  | Derivative So                            | ecuriti   | ies Acq                                          | uired, Disposed of                                                                                                                      | , or Beneficial        | ly Owned                                        |  |
| 1.Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3)                        | 2. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | Execution any                                                                                                                                       | Execution Date, if                                                          |              | 4. Securition(A) or Disp<br>(Instr. 3, 4 | posed     | of (D)                                           | Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported                                                                                        | Indirect (I) Ov        |                                                 |  |
|                                                             |                                         |                                                                                                                                                     |                                                                             | Code V       | Amount                                   | or<br>(D) | Price                                            | Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)                                                                                                         |                        |                                                 |  |
| Class A<br>Common<br>Stock                                  | 12/20/2005                              |                                                                                                                                                     |                                                                             | <u>J(1)</u>  | 548,138                                  | D         | (1)                                              | 0                                                                                                                                       | I                      | By RFLP                                         |  |
| Class A<br>Common<br>Stock                                  | 12/20/2005                              |                                                                                                                                                     |                                                                             | <u>J(1)</u>  | 31,871                                   | A         | (1)                                              | 31,871                                                                                                                                  | D                      |                                                 |  |
| Class A                                                     | 10/00/0005                              |                                                                                                                                                     |                                                                             | <b>T</b> (1) | 00.202                                   |           | /1)                                              | 00.202                                                                                                                                  | T                      | By GRAT                                         |  |

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By Trusts (4)

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 Conversion Security or Exercise (Instr. 3) Price of Derivative Security

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

5. TransactionNumber Code of (Instr. 8) Derivative Securities

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)

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Date Exercisable

Expiration Date

Amount or Title Number

of Shares

Code V (A) (D)

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director

10% Owner

Officer

Other

REILLY SEAN E

C/O LAMAR ADVERTISING COMPANY 5551 CORPORATE BOULEVARD BATON ROUGE, LA 70808

Chief Operating Officer

## **Signatures**

James McIlwain, as attorney-in-fact

12/21/2005

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

### **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) Pro rata distribution from the Reilly Family Limited Partnership (the "RFLP") to all of its limited partners.
- (2) The Reporting Person is a General Partner of the RFLP. The other General Partners of the RFLP are siblings of the Reporting Person. Kevin P. Reilly, Jr., the President and Chief Executive Officer of Lamar Advertising Company ("Lamar") and a sibling of the Reporting

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Person, is the Managing General Partner of the RFLP. The Managing General Partner of the RFLP exercises sole voting power over the shares held by the RFLP, but disposition of the shares requires the approval of 50% of the general partnership interests in the RFLP. The RFLP continues to hold 9,000,000 shares of Lamar's Class B Common Stock. The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares held by the RFLP except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

- (3) The Reporting Person's grantor retained annuity trust received these shares of Lamar's Class A Common Stock pursuant to the pro rata distribution from the RFLP.
- (4) Three trusts for the benefit of the Reporting Person's children received these shares of Lamar's Class A Common Stock pursuant to the pro rata distribution from the RFLP.

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