

ELLIN ROBERT S
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FORM 4

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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 *
ELLIN ROBERT S

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
Lateral Media, Inc. [ASND.OB]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
2121 AVENUE OF THE STARS,
SUITE 2550

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
12/18/2008

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

(Street)
LOS ANGELES, CA 90067

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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	12/18/2008		J ⁽¹⁾		1,063,836	A	<u>1</u>
					8,659,036	I	See footnote <u>(2)</u>

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)

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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 Following Transaction (Instr. 5)
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
ELLIN ROBERT S 2121 AVENUE OF THE STARS, SUITE 2550 LOS ANGELES, CA 90067	X	X	President	

Signatures

/s/ Robert S. Ellin 12/19/2008

**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).
 - On December 18, 2008, the shares of common stock reported in this Form 4 were issued by Lateral Media, Inc. (the "Company") to Trinad Capital Master Fund, Ltd. ("Trinad"), as repayment in full of approximately \$797,876 of current principal and accrued interest outstanding under that certain Loan Agreement, by and between the Company and Trinad, dated as of July 11, 2007, as subsequently amended on November 15, 2007, April 18, 2008 and August 1, 2008.
These shares are held directly by Trinad, of which Trinad Management, LLC is the manager. Robert S. Ellin is a director and officer of the Company, a managing member of Trinad Management LLC and a managing member of Trinad Advisors II, LLC, the general partner of Trinad Capital, LP, a principal stockholder of Trinad. In such capacity, Mr. Ellin may be deemed to be the beneficial owner of these shares of common stock. Mr. Ellin disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares of common stock, except to the extent of any pecuniary interest therein.

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