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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 Per Smith Clifford T	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CLEVELAND-CLIFFS INC. [CLF]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner				
200 PUBLIC SQUARE, SUITE	(Middle) E 3300	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/12/2021						X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)   EVP, Chief Operating Officer Other (specify below)			
(Street) CLEVELAND, OH 44114-231	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				
(City) (State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned									
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	etion V	(A) or Di	(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	Form:	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Shares	01/12/2021		А		67,772 ( <u>1</u> )	А	\$ 0	505,448	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	2.	3. Transaction	3A. Deemed	4.		5.		6. Date Exer	cisable	7. Tit	le and	8. Price of	9. Number of	10.	11. Nature
Derivative	Conversion	Date	Execution Date, if	Transacti	ion	Num	ber	and Expirati	on Date	Amo	unt of	Derivative	Derivative	Ownership	of Indirect
Security	or Exercise	(Month/Day/Year)	any	Code		of		(Month/Day	/Year)	Unde	rlying	Security	Securities	Form of	Beneficial
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)		Deriv	ative			Secur	rities	(Instr. 5)	Beneficially	Derivative	Ownership
	Derivative					Secur				(Instr	. 3 and		Owned	Security:	(Instr. 4)
	Security					Acqu	ired			4)			0	Direct (D)	
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											Amount				
								Date	Expiration		or				
								Exercisable		Title	Number				
								Excicisable	Date		of				
				Code	V	(A)	(D)				Shares				

## **Reporting Owners**

			Relationships	
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Smith Clifford T 200 PUBLIC SQUARE SUITE 3300 CLEVELAND, OH 44114-2315			EVP, Chief Operating Officer	

### Signatures

/s/ James D. Graham by Power of Attorney	01/14/2021
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) Reflects a payout of performance shares for the 2018-2020 performance period earned under the Issuer's 2015 Equity and Incentive Compensation Plan, as amended.

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