## FORM 4

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#### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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Print or Ty	pe Response	s)												
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 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				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 200 PUBLIC SQUARE, SUITE 3300				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/23/2021						X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)  EVP, Chief Operating Officer				
(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 Person				
CLEVELAND, OH 44114-2315 (City) (State) (Zip)				Ta	ivative S	ecurities .	nired, 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. Transa Code (Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Disposed of A and 5)  (A) or	uired of (D)	D) Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		es following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common	Shares	(	02/23/2021		Code	V	Amoun 41,521		Price \$ 0	505,947	,		(Instr. 4)	
				Derivative Securiti e.g., puts, calls, wa						ly Owned				
	Report on a s  2. Conversion or Exercise	3. Transaction Date	Table II - I (a 3A. Deemed Execution Date	e.g., puts, calls, wa 4. te, if Transaction	ies Acquire arrants, op	Pers cont the f ed, Di tions,	ons who	o respond this formula this for	eficial rities) 7. Ti	not requesting ntly valid		formation spond unle trol number 9. Number Derivative Securities	ss r. of 10.	11. Natur of Indirec Beneficia
(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Y	Year) (Instr. 8)	Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)					urities str. 3 and	(Instr. 5)	Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4)	Security Direct (I or Indire	D) ect
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exer		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Repor	ting O	wners												
Reporting Owner Name / Address Director Owner			Relationships											
			Director 10% Owner	I Officer				Other						

EVP, Chief Operating Officer

## Signatures

Smith Clifford T 200 PUBLIC SQUARE

CLEVELAND, OH 44114-2315

**SUITE 3300** 

/s/ James D. Graham by Power of Attorney	02/25/2021
**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 the number of restricted share units granted to the Reporting Person on February 23, 2021 from the Issuer's Amended and Restated 2015 Equity and Incentive Compensation Plan. This grant vests on December 31, 2023.

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