## FORM 4

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

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(Print or Type	e Responses)	)															
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * GUNNING DAVID H				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CLEVELAND CLIFFS INC [CLF]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  X_ Director X_ Officer (give title below)				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1100 SUPERIOR AVENUE, 15TH FLOOR				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/01/2007													
(Street) CLEVELAND, OH 44114				4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting PersonForm filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)		(State)	(Zip)			T	able I - N	Non-De	erivati	ve Secu	ıriti	es Acquirec	l, Dispose	d of, or Ber	eficially Ow	ned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)		Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Dany (Month/Day/	Date,	if	(Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acqu (A) or Disposed o (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		of (D) Beneficially		of Securities y Owned Following ransaction(s)		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
				(Wolldi)/D	ay/10	ai)	Code	V	Amo	(A) or (D)		Price	(mou. 3 and 4)			or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
Common	Stock		03/01/2007				A <sup>(1)</sup>		29,8	26 A		\$ 60.58 75	5,756			D	
Common	Stock		03/01/2007				F(2)		11,7	87 D		\$ 60.58 63	3,969			D	
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)  Conversi or Exerce Price of Derivative Security		xercise (Month/Day/Year) any (Month/Day/Ye vative			c, if Transaction of Code De Secar) (Instr. 8) Sec Ac (A) Disort		ivative urities quired or posed D) tr. 3, 4,	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	Owners Form of Derivat Security Direct ( or Indir	ve Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exerci		Expirat Date	tion	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Retention Units 2004- 2006	(3)	03/01/2007		D			4,260	<u>(</u> 4	<u>4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	)	Common Shares	4,260	\$ 48.44	0	D	

#### **Reporting Owners**

Describer O. and Name I	Relationships						
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
GUNNING DAVID H 1100 SUPERIOR AVENUE 15TH FLOOR CLEVELAND, OH 44114	X		Vice Chairman				

### **Signatures**

David H. Gunning	03/02/2007
**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 in Common Stock of Performance Shares earned under the Cleveland-Cliffs Inc 1992 Equity Plan (as Amended and Restated as of May 13, 1997) as amended ("1992 Equity Plan"), for the 2004-2006 Performance Period.
- (2) Surrender of Performance Shares represented in footnote (1) in payment of the related tax liability incurred by the reporting person.
- (3) Convertible into Common Shares on a 1-for-1 basis.
- (4) Retention Units granted to Reporting Person under the Cleveland-Cliffs Inc Long-Term Incentive Program covering the period of January 1, 2004 to December 31, 2006 (Retention Period). Retention units were paid out to the Reporting Person in cash based on the market value price of the Common Shares of the Issuer on the last day of the Retention Period.

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