UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K/A

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of Earliest Event Reported):

January 15, 2013

Cliffs Natural Resources Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Ohio

1-8944 (Commission

File Number)

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

200 Public Square, Suite 3300, Cleveland, Ohio

(Address of principal executive offices)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code:

Not Applicable

Former name or former address, if changed since last report

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

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34-1464672

(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

44114-2315

(Zip Code)

216-694-5700

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ITEM 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers

On December 3, 2012, Cliffs Natural Resources Inc. (the "**Company**") filed a Current Report on Form 8-K under Item 5.02 to announce the election of Timothy W. Sullivan as an independent director of the Board of Directors of the Company (the "**Board**") effective January 14, 2013 to fill a new position authorized by the Board. At the time of that filing, it had only been determined by the Board that Mr. Sullivan would become a member of the Audit Committee effective July 1, 2013.

The Company is filing this Current Report on Form 8-K/A to disclose that, on January 15, 2013, the Board appointed Mr. Sullivan also to the Compensation and Organization Committee, effective July 1, 2013.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

January 18, 2013

Cliffs Natural Resources Inc.

By: /s/ Carolyn E. Cheverine

Name: Carolyn E. Cheverine Title: General Counsel - Corporate Affairs & Secretary