UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

September 9, 2008

ORDER GRANTING CONFIDENTIAL TREATMENT UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Cleveland-Cliffs Inc

File No. 1-08944 - CF# 22418

Cleveland-Cliffs Inc submitted an application under Rule 24b-2 requesting confidential treatment for information it excluded from the Exhibits to a Form 10-Q filed on July 31, 2008.

Based on representations by Cleveland-Cliffs Inc that this information qualifies as confidential commercial or financial information under the Freedom of Information Act, 5 U.S.C. 552(b)(4), the Division of Corporation Finance has determined not to publicly disclose it. Accordingly, excluded information from the following exhibit(s) will not be released to the public for the time period(s) specified:

Exhibit 10(c) through December 31, 2016 Exhibit 10(d) through July 31, 2018

For the Commission, by the Division of Corporation Finance, pursuant to delegated authority:

Timothy Levenberg Special Counsel