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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting HARBINGER CAPITAL P. MASTER FUND I, LTD.	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol CLEVELAND CLIFFS INC [CLF]					-	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director X_10% Owner Officer (give title below) X_0ther (specify below)			
(Last) (First) C/O INTERNATIONAL FU LIMITED, THIRD FL, BIS REDMOND'S HILL	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/05/2008					l	*See Remar	ks		
(Street) DUBLIN, L2 00000	4. If Amendment,	. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) 6. Individual or Joint/GroForm filed by One ReportinX_Form filed by More than One								
(City) (State)	(Zip)	Ta	able I - No	n-De	rivative S	Securit	ies Acqui	red, Disposed of, or Beneficially	Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	V	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or Amount (D) Price		of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership
Common Stock	05/05/2008		Р		21,426	А	\$ 163.35	4,259,824	$ \begin{array}{c} D (1) (2) \\ (3) (4) \end{array} $	
Common Stock	05/05/2008		Р		78,574	А	\$ 163.35	2,129,912	D (1) (5) (6) (7)	

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	rcisable	7. Tit	le and	8. Price of	9. Number of	10.	11. Nature
Derivative	Conversion	Date	Execution Date, if	Transaction	n Nu	umber	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)	De	erivativ	e		Secur	rities	(Instr. 5)	Beneficially	Derivative	Ownership
	Derivative				Se	curities	<b>:</b>		(Instr	. 3 and		Owned	Security:	(Instr. 4)
	Security				Ac	equired			4)			Following	Direct (D)	
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					4,	and 5)								
										Amount				
							Data	Expiration		or				
							Date Exercisable		Title	Number				
							Exercisable	Date		of				
				Code V	7 (A	A) (D)	)			Shares				

## **Reporting Owners**

		Rela	tionships	
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
HARBINGER CAPITAL PARTNERS MASTER FUND I, LTD. C/O INTERNATIONAL FUND SERVICES LIMITED THIRD FL, BISHOP'S SQUARE REDMOND'S HILL DUBLIN, L2 00000		Х		*See Remarks
HARBINGER CAPITAL PARTNERS OFFSHORE MANAGER, L.L.C. ONE RIVERCHASE PARKWAY SOUTH BIRMINGHAM, AL 35244		Х		*See Remarks

HMC INVESTORS, L.L.C. ONE RIVERCHASE PARKWAY SOUTH BIRMINGHAM, AL 35244	X	*See Remarks
HARBINGER CAPITAL PARTNERS SPECIAL SITUATIONS FUND, L.P. 555 MADISON AVENUE 16TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022	X	*See Remarks
HARBINGER CAPITAL PARTNERS SPECIAL SITUATIONS GP, LLC 555 MADISON AVENUE 16TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022	Х	*See Remarks
HMC - NEW YORK, INC. 555 MADISON AVENUE 16TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022	X	*See Remarks
HARBERT MANAGEMENT CORP ONE RIVERCHASE PARKWAY SOUTH BIRMINGHAM, AL 35244	X	*See Remarks
FALCONE PHILIP 555 MADISON AVE 16TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022	X	*See Remarks
HARBERT RAYMOND J ONE RIVERCHASE PARKWAY SOUTH BIRMINGHAM, AL 35244	X	*See Remarks
LUCE MICHAEL D ONE RIVERCHASE PARKWAY SOUTH BIRMINGHAM, AL 35244	Х	*See Remarks

# Signatures

Harbinger Capital Partners Master Fund I, Ltd.(+), By: Harbinger Capital Partners Offshore Manager, L.L.C., By: HMC Investors, L.L.C., Managing Member, By: /s/ William R. Lucas, Jr.	05/07/2008
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
Harbinger Capital Partners Offshore Manager, L.L.C.(+), By: HMC Investors, L.L.C., Managing Member, By: /s/ William R. Lucas, Jr.	05/07/2008
-*Signature of Reporting Person	Date
HMC Investors, L.L.C.(+), By: /s/ William R. Lucas, Jr.	05/07/2008
-**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
Harbinger Capital Partners Special Situations Fund, L.P.(+), By: Harbinger Capital Partners Special Situations GP, LLC, By HMC-New York, Inc., Managing Member, By: /s/ William R. Lucas, Jr.	05/07/2008
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
Harbinger Capital Partners Special Situations GP, LLC(+), By: HMC-New York, Inc., Managing Member, By: /s/ William R. Lucas, Jr.	05/07/2008
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
HMC-New York, Inc.(+), By: /s/ William R. Lucas, Jr.	05/07/2008
-Signature of Reporting Person	Date
Harbert Management Corporation(+), By: /s/ William R. Lucas, Jr.	05/07/2008
"Signature of Reporting Person	Date
/s/ Philip Falcone(+)	05/07/2008

**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
/s/ Raymond J. Harbert(+)	05/07/2008
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
/s/ Michael D. Luce(+)	05/07/2008
**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).
- IMPORTANT NOTE: THE SECURITIES SET FORTH IN THIS REPORT ARE DIRECTLY BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY HARBINGER CAPITAL PARTNERS (1) MASTER FUND I, LTD. AND/OR HARBINGER CAPITAL PARTNERS SPECIAL SITUATIONS FUND, L.P. (COLLECTIVELY, THE "FUNDS"). ALL OTHER REPORTING PERSONS ARE INCLUDED WITHIN THIS REPORT DUE TO THEIR AFFILIATION WITH ONE OR BOTH OF THE FUNDS.
- (2) These securities are owned by Harbinger Capital Partners Master Fund I, Ltd. (the "Master Fund"), which is a Reporting Person.
- These securities may be deemed to be indirectly beneficially owned by the following, each of whom is a Reporting Person: Harbinger Capital Partners Offshore Manager,
   (3) L.L.C. ("Harbinger Management"), the investment manager of the Master Fund, HMC Investors, L.L.C., its managing member ("HMC Investors"), Philip Falcone, a member of HMC Investors and the portfolio manager of the Master Fund, Raymond J. Harbert, a member of HMC Investors, and Michael D. Luce, a member of HMC Investors.
- Each Reporting Person listed in Footnotes 2 and 3 disclaims beneficial ownership of the reported securities except to the extent of his or its pecuniary interest therein, and this (4) report shall not be deemed an admission that such Reporting Person is the beneficial owner of the securities for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or for any other purpose.
- (5) These securities are owned by Harbinger Capital Partners Special Situations Fund, L.P. (the "Special Situations Fund"), which is a Reporting Person.
- These securities may be deemed to be indirectly beneficially owned by the following, each of whom is a Reporting Person: Harbinger Capital Partners Special Situations GP, LLC ("HCPSS"), HMC-New York, Inc. ("HMCNY"), Harbert Management Corporation ("HMC"), Philip Falcone, Raymond J. Harbert and Michael Luce. HCPSS is the
- (6) general partner of the Special Situations Fund. HMCNY is the managing member of HCPSS. HMC wholly owns HMCNY. Philip Falcone is the portfolio manager of the Special Situations Fund and is a shareholder of HMC. Raymond J. Harbert and Michael D. Luce are shareholders of HMC.
- Each Reporting Person listed in Footnotes 5 and 6 disclaims beneficial ownership of the reported securities except to the extent of his or its pecuniary interest therein, and this (7) report shall not be deemed an admission that such Reporting Person is the beneficial owner of the securities for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or for any other purpose.

#### **Remarks:**

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