FORM 4

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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 Person* BRINZO JOHN S					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CLEVELAND CLIFFS INC [CLF]							5	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) _X_ Director 10% Owner					
1100 SUPERIOR AVENUE, 15TH FLOOR					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/03/2005								X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) Chairman & CEO					
(Street) CLEVELAND, OH 44114				4. If A	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)			Tab	ole I -	Non-	-Dei	rivative S	Securiti	es Ac	cquir	ed, Dispo	osed of, or I	Beneficially	Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		, if (Code (Instr. 8)			A. Securities Acqui (A) or Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or Amount (D) I		of (E	(D) Benefici		ant of Securities ially Owned Following d Transaction(s) and 4)		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficia Ownershi (Instr. 4)	
Common	Stock		10/03/2005				S(I)		1,000	D	\$ 86.7	775	107,729)		D	
Common Stock													71,802			Ι	By VNQD(
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Reporting Owners

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Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
BRINZO JOHN S 1100 SUPERIOR AVENUE 15TH FLOOR CLEVELAND, OH 44114	X		Chairman & CEO					

Signatures

John S. Brinzo	10/04/2005
**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) Common shares sold pursuant to a 10b(5)-1 trading plan entered into August 25, 2005.
- (2) Held for the benefit of the Reporting Person by the Cleveland-Cliffs Inc Voluntary Non-Qualified Deferred Compensation Plan (VNQDC).

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