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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* LEROUX ROBERT J			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CLEVELAND CLIFFS INC [CLF]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner					
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1100 SUPERIOR AVENUE			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/11/2005						X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) Vice President & Controller					
(Street) CLEVELAND, OH 44114			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)						6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City		(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities A			Acqui	quired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned						
1.Title of S (Instr. 3)					(Instr. 8)	(A. Securities Acquir (A) or Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		of (D)	Beneficia Reported	nt of Securities ally Owned Following Transaction(s)		6. Ownership Form:	Beneficial
				(Month/Day/Year	Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4) Direct (D or Indirect (I)		or Indirect (I)	Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common	Stock		11/11/2005		S		1,150		\$ 90	4,394			D	
C	Stock									3,357			I	By VNQDC
Common							I1							(1)
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Reporting Owners

D 4 0 N /	Relationships						
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
LEROUX ROBERT J 1100 SUPERIOR AVENUE CLEVELAND, OH 44114			Vice President & Controller				

Signatures

Robert J. Leroux	11/14/2005
**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) Held for the benefit of the Reporting Person by the Cleveland-Cliffs Inc Voluntary Non-Qualified Deferred Compensation Plan (VNQDC).

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