FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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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_ Director10% Owner					
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1100 SUPERIOR AVENUE, 15TH FLOOR					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/21/2006								X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) Chairman & CEO					
(Street) CLEVELAND, OH 44114				4. If	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)			Ta	ble I -	Non	-De	erivative S	Securi	ties A	cquir	ed, Dispo	osed of, or l	Beneficially	Owned	
			Execut any	ny			3. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			d (A)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)			Ownership of Form:	Beneficial	
				(Month	(Month/Day/Year)	ar)	Code	,	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Pr	rice	(Instr. 3	and 4)		Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common	Stock		08/21/2006				S ⁽¹⁾	!		5,000	D	\$ 36.4	1746	132,71	6		D	
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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

George W. Hawk, Jr. by Power of Attorney

08/22/2006

**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 and amended June 9, 2006.
- (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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