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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 * RIEDERER RICHARD K			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CLEVELAND CLIFFS INC [CLF]							5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) _X_ Director 10% Owner					
(Last) (First) (Middle) S25 W35020 MANOR HOUSE RD.				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/01/2008						_	Officer (gi	ve title below)	Oth	er (specify bel	ow)
(Street)				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  uired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned				
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# **Reporting Owners**

		Relationships				
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
RIEDERER RICHARD K S25 W35020 MANOR HOUSE RD. OCONOMOWAC, WI 53066	X					

## **Signatures**

Traci L. Forrester by Power of Attorney	04/03/2008
**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).
- On January 8, 2008, the Company declared a dividend of \$.175 per share, payable to all holders of record as of February 15, 2008 of common stock payable on March 3, 2008. The (1) amount shown reflects 1.2568 shares credited to the Reporting Person pursuant to the Company's Dividend Reinvestment and Stock Purchase Plan and 1.545 restricted dividend reinvestment shares pursuant to the Cleveland-Cliffs Inc Nonemployee Directors' Compensation Plan (as Amended and Restated January 1, 2005) ("Plan").

- (2) Convertible into Common Shares on a 1-for-1 basis.
- (3) Reflects number of Common Shares underlying deferred compensation credited to the account of the Reporting Person in payment of the Reporting Person's Quarterly Retainer for the second quarter of 2008 under the Plan. Each Stock Unit is generally distributable following termination of service as a Director.
- The total includes dividend reinvestment pursuant to the Plan. The number of deferred dividend reinvestment equivalent shares earned in the Plan is calculated using the closing market price at the end of each quarter for shares held in the Plan. The reporting person was credited with 7.6495 dividend reinvestment shares on 3/31/2008.

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