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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses) 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MCALLISTER FRANCIS R				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					
536 EAS	1	O. BOX 1330	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/13/2008						Officer (gi	ve title below)	Oth	er (specify belo	w)		
(Street) COLUMBUS, MT 53019				4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)							6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_Form filed by One Reporting Person _Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City	y)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquir					ired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned							
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Yea			2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		e, if C	(Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)		ted	Ownership Form:	Beneficial		
				(Monun	Day/ i	ear)	Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and	3 and 4) Direct (D) O or Indirect (I) (I) (Instr. 4)		Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common	Stock		05/13/2008				A ⁽¹⁾		402	A	\$ 186.79	2,883.9881 ⁽²⁾		-	D	
Common	Stock											5,767.9762	2 (3)		D	
			Table II -				Acquir	d, Dis	sposed of	, or Be	neficially	OMB control Owned	number.			
Security	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	4. 5. Transaction Code of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. T Un	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		Derivative Security	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownersl Form of Derivati Security Direct (I	Benefic ve Owners (Instr. 4		
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	Security			Code	D of (I 4,	ispose (D) nstr. 3	Date	isable	Expirati Date	ion Tit	le	Amount or Number of Shares		Transaction(s	(I)	ect

Reporting Owners

D. C. O. N.	Relationships						
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
MCALLISTER FRANCIS R 536 EAST PIKE P.O. BOX 1330 COLUMBUS, MT 53019	X						

Signatures

Traci L. Forrester by Power of Attorney	05/15/2008
**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).

- (1) Reflects the number of restricted shares granted to the Reporting Person as an Annual Equity Grant pursuant to the Nonemployee Directors' Compensation Plan.
- On September 4, 2007, December 3, 2007, March 3, 2008, the Company paid dividends to all holders of record of common stock. The amount shown reflects 2.03730 shares credited to (2) the Reporting Person pursuant to the Company's Dividend Reinvestment and Stock Purchase Plan. The Reporting Person also acquired 8.822 shares attributable to the dividend reinvestment feature of the Nonemployee Directors' Compensation Plan accumulated on the dividend payment dates listed above.
- (3) Total ownership amount reflects the Company's 2-for-1 stock split on May 15, 2008, which resulted in the reporting person's receiving 2,883.9881 additional shares.
- (4) Convertible into Common Shares on a 1-for-1 basis.
- (5) Reflects number of Common Shares underlying deferred compensation credited to the account of the Reporting Person under the Cleveland-Cliffs Inc Nonemployee Directors Compensation Plan. Each Stock Unit is generally distributable following termination of service as a Director.
- The total includes dividend reinvestment pursuant to the Nonemployee Directors' Compensation Plan. The number of deferred dividend reinvestment equivalent shares earned in the Plan (6) 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 an aggregate amount of 22.0709 for the third and
- fourth quarters of 2007 and the first quarter of 2008.
- (7) Total ownership amount reflects the Company's 2-for-1 stock split on May 15, 2008, which resulted in the reporting person's receiving 5,369.7353 additional deferred share units.

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