FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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Name and Address of Reporting P GALLAGHER DONALD J	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CLIFFS NATURAL RESOURCES INC. [CLF]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) Pres. N. Am. Iron Ore					
(Last) (First) 1100 SUPERIOR AVENUE	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/09/2009							1103	5, IV. AIII, IIOI	Oic		
(Street) CLEVELAND, OH 44114	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) 03/11/2009						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) (State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned										
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Ye		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquire (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		of	Beneficial	nt of Securities lly Owned Following Transaction(s) nd 4)		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price				(I) (Instr. 4)	,
Common Stock	03/09/2009		A		8,525	A	\$ 0	62,120.0)48		D	
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Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
GALLAGHER DONALD J 1100 SUPERIOR AVENUE CLEVELAND, OH 44114			Pres. N. Am. Iron Ore			

Signatures

Traci L. Forrester by Power of Attorney	03/18/2009	
**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) Amended Form 4 filing reflects a correction in the number of restricted stock units granted to the reporting person on March 9, 2009.

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