

CLEVELAND CLIFFS INC  
 Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 536 EAST PIKE, P.O. BOX 1330  
 (Street)

COLUMBUS, MT 53019

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 CLEVELAND CLIFFS INC [CLF]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
 (Month/Day/Year)  
 07/27/2007

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (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) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	07/27/2007		A <sup>(1)</sup>	V Amount A	\$ 2,471.1288 69.39 <sup>(2)</sup>	D	

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price or Value of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
Stock Units	(3)					(4) (4)	Common Shares	5,347.6642 (5)

## Reporting Owners

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

## Signatures

Susanne E. Dickerson by Power of Attorney 07/31/2007

\*\*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).
- Reflects the number of Restricted Shares credited to the account of the Reporting Person on the Annual Meeting date, July 27, 2007
- (1) (Annual Equity Grant) pursuant to the Cleveland-Cliffs Inc Non-employee Directors' Compensation Plan (as Amended and Restated January 1, 2005).  
On January 9, 2007 and May 8, 2007, the Company declared a dividend of \$.125 per share, payable to all holders of record as of February 15, 2007 and May 18, 2007 of common stock payable on March 1, 2007 and June 1, 2007, respectively. The amount shown reflects
  - (2) 1.01768 and .6435 shares acquired pursuant to the Company's Dividend Reinvestment and Stock Purchase plan. The reporting person also acquired 3.4044 and 2.4252 restricted dividend reinvestment shares on March 1 and June 1, 2007, respectively. These shares were earned pursuant to the Nonemployee Directors' Compensation Plan ("Directors' Plan").
  - (3) Convertible into Common Shares on a 1-for-1 basis.  
Stock Units reflect Common Shares underlying deferred compensation credited to the account of the Reporting Person in payment of
  - (4) 100% of the Reporting Person's Meeting Fees and Retainer fees under the 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 (as Amended and Restated January 1, 2005) ("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 10.4059 and 8.5926 dividend reinvestment shares on 3/30/2007 and June 30, 2007, respectively.
  - (5)

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