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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 – CALFEE WILLIAM R	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CLEVELAND CLIFFS INC [CLF]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director10% Owner				
(Last) (First) 1100 SUPERIOR AVENUE, 15TH	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/21/2004						X_Officer (give title below)Other (specify below) Exec. V.P. Comm'l				
(Street) CLEVELAND, OH 44114	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) (State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acqu					ties Acqui	ired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned			
I.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Date, if Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securi or Dispo (Instr. 3, Amount	sed of ( 4 and 5 (A) or	)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership	
Common Stock	09/21/2004		М		13,333	А	\$ 64.9688	33,940	D		
Common Stock	09/21/2004		S		13,333	D	\$ 75	20,607	D		
Common Stock								4,946	Ι	By VNQDC (1)	

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)															
	Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transact Code	ion	5. N of E Sect Acq or E of (I (Ins	Jumber Derivative urities urities (uired (A) Disposed D) tr. 3, 4,	6. Date Exerci Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Y	sable and te 'ear)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities		Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	ecurity Securities Instr. 5) Beneficially Owned Following Reported		11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code		and (A)		Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Transaction(s) (I) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)	< / </td <td></td>	
Options (right- to-buy)	\$ 64.9688	09/21/2004		М			13,333	01/12/2003	01/12/2009	Common Shares	13,333	\$ 0	13,334	D	

## **Reporting Owners**

	Relationships							
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
CALFEE WILLIAM R 1100 SUPERIOR AVENUE 15TH FLOOR CLEVELAND, OH 44114			Exec. V.P. Comm'l					

### Signatures

William R. Calfee	09/22/2004
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date

# **Explanation of Responses:**

- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Held for the benefit of the Reporting Person by the Cleveland-Cliffs Inc Voluntary Non-Qualified Deferred Compensation Plan (VNQDC).

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