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(Print or Type	Responses)												
BRINZO JOHN S Sy				Symbol					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				
(Last)		CLEVELAND CLIFFS INC [CLF] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction					(Check all applicable)						
(Mont				Month/Day/Year) 8/11/2005					X Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chairman & CEO				
	(Street)		4. If Am Filed(Mo			ate Origina r)	l		6. Individual or Join Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by Ou Form filed by Mo	ne Reporting Per	rson		
CLEVELA	ND, OH 44114								Person		porting		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	ole I - No	on-l	Derivative	Secur	rities Acqu	ired, Disposed of,	or Beneficial	ly Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	ecurity (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if				ctio 8)	4. Securiti or Dispose (Instr. 3, 4	ed of (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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Common				Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price					
Stock	08/11/2005			G		17,722	D	\$0	0 (1)	Ι	By Wife		
Common Stock	08/11/2005			G		17,722	А	\$0	116,729	D			
Common Stock	08/11/2005			М		5,334	А	\$ 37.8984	122,063	D			
Common Stock	08/11/2005			S		1,134	D	\$ 78.21	120,929	D			
Common	08/11/2005			S		4,200	D	\$ 78.01	116,729	D			

Stock

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Common			By
	71,759	Ι	VNQDC
Stock	,		(2)
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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)

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)			6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount Underlying Securitie (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Shares
Options (right-to-buy)	\$ 37.8984	08/11/2005		М	5	5,334	01/12/2003	01/12/2009	Common Shares	5,33

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
Reporting O (mer Funite / Fuur ess	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
BRINZO JOHN S 1100 SUPERIOR AVENUE 15TH FLOOR CLEVELAND, OH 44114	Х		Chairman & CEO				
Signatures							

John S. Brinzo 08/11/2005 ^{**}Signature of Date Reporting Person

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) Wife transferred ownership of shares to the reporting person.

(2)

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