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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)											
Name and Address of Reporting Pe Cheverine Carolyn	Statemen	of Event R nt (Month		3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CLIFFS NATURAL RESOURCES INC. [CLF]							
(Last) (First) (Middle) 200 PUBLIC SQUARE, SUITE 3300		01/15/2	-01/15/2013		Issuer	•	Reporting Person		5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)		
(Street) CLEVELAND, OH 44114					DirectorX_ Officer (give tit below)		all applicable) 10% Owne Other (specification) Affairs & Secreta	Appli-	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 Beneficially Owned								
1.Title of Security (Instr. 4)			2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)			F (I (I	Form: Direct D) or Indirect	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)			
Common Stock			1,045				D				
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