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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting F Raguz Steven M	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 <u>X</u> _Officer (give title below) EVP Corp Strategy & Comm & CSO				
(Last) (First) 200 PUBLIC SQUARE, SUI	3. Date of Earliest 03/11/2013	Transactio	on (M	Ionth/Day	Year)		EVP Corp Strategy & C		0		
(Street) CLEVELAND, OH 44114-23	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)	Ta	ble I - Nor	1-De	rivative S	ecuriti	ired, 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)	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)		Beneficial	
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Shares	03/11/2013		А		4,130 (<u>1</u>)	А	\$0	21,148	D		
Common Shares	03/11/2013		S		4,000	D	\$ 24.013	17,148	D		
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Common Shares								4,321.526 ⁽²⁾	Ι	VNQDC	

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

(<i>e.g.</i> , puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)													
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