#### IRELAND JAMES D III

Form 4

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### FORM 4

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1(b).

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** IRELAND JAMES D III			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol CLEVELAND CLIFFS INC [CLF]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last) 1801 EAST 1700	(First) (	(.	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/30/2005	(Check all applicable)  _X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)			
CLEVEL A	(Street)		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			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Ac	Person quired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned			
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	e 2A. Deemed Execution D any (Month/Day	Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of 6. 7. Nature of Securities Ownership Indirect Beneficially Form: Beneficial Owned Direct (D) Ownership Following or Indirect (Instr. 4) Reported (I) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common Stock	03/30/2005		S 4,200 D \$ 71.31	112,998 (1) I Co-Trustee			
Common				7,044 <u>(2)</u> 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)

1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	and	8. Price of	9. Nu
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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
IRELAND JAMES D III 1801 EAST 9TH STREET SUITE 1700 CLEVELAND, OH 44114	X				

## **Signatures**

Donald J. Gallagher, by Power of 03/31/2005 Attorney

> \*\*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).
- On December 31, 2004, the common stock of Cleveland-Cliffs Inc split 2-for-1, resulting in the Reporting Person's acquisition of 58,599 additional shares of common stock. 112,998 Common Shares are held in five trusts for the benefit of siblings and the Reporting Person who is a co-trustee of the trusts. The Reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of 83,698.50 of these shares. The Reporting Person has an interest in the income or corpus with respect to 29,299.50.
- On December 31, 2004, the common stock of Cleveland-Cliffs Inc split 2-for-1, resulting in the reporting person's acquisition of 3,522 additional shares of common stock.

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