

CLEVELAND CLIFFS INC  
Form 8-K  
October 04, 2007

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UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of Earliest Event Reported):

September 11, 2007

Cleveland-Cliffs Inc

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Ohio

1-8944

34-1464672

(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

(Commission  
File Number)

(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

1100 Superior Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio

44114-2589

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code:

216-694-5700

Not Applicable

Former name or former address, if changed since last report

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- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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**Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.**

On September 11, 2007, the Board of Directors of Cleveland-Cliffs Inc (the "Company") appointed Laurie Brlas as Chief Accounting Officer in addition to her current position as Senior Vice President - Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer. As previously disclosed, Ms. Brlas, 50, joined the Company in December 2006 as Senior Vice President – Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer. Ms. Brlas was previously employed with STERIS Corporation as Senior Vice President, Chief Financial Officer from 2000 to December 2006. No change was made to Ms. Brlas' compensation as a result of her appointment as Chief Accounting Officer.

Prior to September 11, 2007, Robert J. Leroux, Vice President and Controller, served as the Company's Chief Accounting Officer. Effective October 1, 2007, Mr. Leroux was appointed as Vice President – Finance.

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**SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

*October 4, 2007*

Cleveland-Cliffs Inc

By: *George W. Hawk, Jr.*

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*Name: George W. Hawk, Jr.*

*Title: General Counsel and Secretary*