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):

January 11, 2005

Cleveland-Cliffs Inc

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Ohio (State or other jurisdiction

of incorporation)

1100 Superior Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio (Address of principal executive offices) 1-8944

34-1464672

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

44114-2589

(Zip Code)

216-694-5700

(Commission File Number)

Regissiantertal area code:

Not Applicable

Former name or former address, if changed since last report

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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.

January 11, 2005

Cleveland-Cliffs Inc

By: George W. Hawk, Jr.

Name: George W. Hawk, Jr. Title: General Counsel and Secretary