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Reflects the number of Common Shares credited to the account of the Reporting Person on the Annual Meeting of Shareholders date, May 11, 2010 (Annual Equity Grant), (1) issued pursuant to the Cliffs Natural Resources Inc. Non-Employee Directors' Compensation Plan (as Amended and Restated December 31, 2008). Directors >69 years of age receive common shares without restriction.

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