#### CLIFFS NATURAL RESOURCES INC.

Form 4/A

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

**GONCALVES LOURENCO** 

**CLIFFS NATURAL RESOURCES** 

(Check all applicable)

INC. [CLF]

(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

\_X\_\_ Director 10% Owner Other (specify X\_ Officer (give title

200 PUBLIC SQUARE, SUITE

(Month/Day/Year) 11/17/2014

below) Chairman, President & CEO

3300

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

(Street)

Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line)

09/15/2014

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

CLEVELAND, OH 44114-2315

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Month/Day/Year)

(Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4) Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

(A) or

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

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)

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 1. Title of (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Derivative Conversion

5. Number of TransactionDerivative

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** 

7. Title and Amount of **Underlying Securities** 

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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	ed (A) or ed of (D)		(Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options	\$ 13.83	11/17/2014(1)		A	250,000	(2)	12/31/2021	Common Shares	250,000

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
rioporting of the remark remarks	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
GONCALVES LOURENCO 200 PUBLIC SQUARE SUITE 3300 CLEVELAND, OH 44114-2315	X		Chairman, President & CEO			

# **Signatures**

/s/ James D. Graham by Power of Attorney

12/19/2014

\*\*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).
  - This amendment is being filed to correct the transaction date for this grant of stock options to the Reporting Person under the Cliffs
- (1) Natural Resources Inc. Amended and Restated 2012 Incentive Equity Plan. While the transaction date was originally reported as September 11, 2014, this date is hereby updated as November 17, 2014.
- (2) The option vests in three equal annual installments beginning on December 31, 2015.

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