COEUR D ALENE MINES CORP

Form 4

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1(b).

Common

Stock

03/11/2006

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading **DUFF JAMES K** Issuer Symbol COEUR D ALENE MINES CORP (Check all applicable) [CDE] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Last) (First) (Middle) Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) below) **505 FRONT AVENUE** 03/11/2006 President, South Am. Ops. (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting COEUR D'ALENE, ID 83814 Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 8) Owned Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Code V

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Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

46,631 (1)

D

(A)

(D)

D

Price

5.71

Amount

10.874

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			7. Title and Amou Underlying Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Sha
Incentive Stock Options	\$ 5.14					02/20/2007(2)	02/20/2016	Common Stock	19,4:
Non-Qualified Stock Options	\$ 5.14					02/20/2007(2)	02/20/2016	Common Stock	4,04

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

DUFF JAMES K 505 FRONT AVENUE COEUR D'ALENE, ID 83814

President, South Am. Ops.

Signatures

/s/ Christian P. Fonss, Attorney-in-Fact

03/13/2006

**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).
- (1) Includes 15,630 shares of unvested restricted common stock.
- (2) The stock options become exercisable to the extent of one-third on the above date and are cumulatively exercisable to the extent of one-third each year thereafter.

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