

CLEVELAND CLIFFS INC  
Form 8-K  
May 23, 2008

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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):

May 21, 2008

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

44114-2544

(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

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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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 8.01 Other Events.**

Cleveland-Cliffs Inc published a news release dated May 21, 2008 captioned, "Cleveland-Cliffs Announces Portman Limited's Board Authorizes Share Tender Program." Portman Limited, an Australian Company, also published a news release captioned, "Portman Limited Announces Off-Market Share Buy-Back" dated May 21, 2008. Both news releases are contained in Item 9.01 as Exhibits 99(a) and 99(b), respectively, and are incorporated in this Item 8.01 by reference.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) Exhibits

99(a) Cleveland-Cliffs Inc published a news release captioned, "Cleveland-Cliffs Announces Portman limited's Board Authorizes Share Tender Program" dated May 21, 2008

99(b) Portman Limited published a news release with the Australian Stock Exchange captioned, "Portman Limited Announces Off-Market Share Buy-Back" dated May 21, 2008

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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.

Cleveland-Cliffs Inc

May 23, 2008

By: *George W. Hawk, Jr.*

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*Name: George W. Hawk, Jr.*

*Title: General Counsel & Secretary*

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| <b>Exhibit No.</b> | <b>Description</b>   |
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