CLIFFS NATURAL RESOURCES INC.

Form 8-K January 27, 2016 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K/A Amendment No. 1

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 27, 2016

Cliffs Natural Resources Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Ohio 1-8944 34-1464672
(State or Other Jurisdiction of (Commission File Number) (IRS Employer

Incorporation) Identification Number)

200 Public Square, Suite 3300

Cleveland, Ohio

44114-2315

(Address of Principal Executive (Zip Code)

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:

- o Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
- o Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR
- o 240.14d-2(b))
- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Explanatory Note

This Amendment No. 1 on Form 8-K/A (this "Form 8-K/A") is an amendment to the Current Report of Form 8-K of Cliffs Natural Resources Inc., filed January 27, 2016 (the "Original Form 8-K"). This Form 8-K/A is being filed to correct a typographical error in the date cited in the following places of the Original Form 8-K: (i) on the cover page as the "Date of the Report"; (ii) in the first sentence of the first paragraph of Item 2.02; (iii) in Item 9.01(d) description of exhibit; (iii) the Signature Page; and (iv) description of the exhibit on the Exhibit Index Page, all of which are corrected by this filing to be "January 27, 2016". This Form 8-K/A amends and restates in its entirety the Cover Page, Item 2.02, Item 9.01, the Signature Page and the Exhibit Index Page of the Original Form 8-K and restates Exhibit 99.1 filed with the Original Form 8-K. No changes were made to Exhibit 99.1 of the Original Form 8-K and no other changes were made to the Original Form 8-K.

Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On January 27, 2016, Cliffs Natural Resources Inc. issued a news release announcing the fourth-quarter and full-year financial results for the period ended December 31, 2015. A copy of the news release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K.

The information contained in this Current Report on Form 8-K, including the exhibit attached hereto, is being furnished and shall not be deemed to be filed for the purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the "Exchange Act"), or incorporated by reference into any filing under the Securities Act of 1933 or the Exchange Act, unless such subsequent filing specifically references this Form 8-K.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits. (d) Exhibits.

Exhibit Description

99.1

Cliffs Natural Resources Inc. published a news release on January 27, 2016 captioned, "Cliffs Natural Resources Inc. Reports Fourth Quarter and Full-Year 2015 Results"

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.

Cliffs Natural Resources Inc.

Date: January 27, 2016 By: /s/ James D. Graham

Name: James D. Graham

Title: Executive Vice President, Chief Legal Officer &

Secretary

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