HECLA MINING CO/DE/

Form 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Addi HALL LINDS	-	ng Person *	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol HECLA MINING CO/DE/ [HL]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)		
422 SOUTH CHURCH STREET		ΓREET	(Month/Day/Year) 03/20/2017	Director 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (specify below) Sr. VP & CFO		
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
CHARLOTTE, NC 28202			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

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(City)	(State) (2	Table	I - Non-De	erivative S	ecuriti	ies Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date		3.	4. Securiti			5. Amount of		
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if		n(A) or Dis	posed	of	Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(D)			Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4	and 5	5)	Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership
							Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
					(4)		Reported		
					(A)		Transaction(s)		
			~		or	~ .	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	·		
Common Stock	03/20/2017		A	12,331 (1)	A	\$0	67,708 (2)	D	

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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	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)			ate	7. Title Amoun Under	int of lying ities	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene
	Derivative Security				Securities Acquired			(Instr.	3 and 4)		Owne Follo
					(A) or Disposed						Repo Trans
					of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)						(Instr
					4, and 3)				Amount		
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	or Number of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Kelationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				

HALL LINDSAY A 422 SOUTH CHURCH STREET CHARLOTTE, NC 28202

Sr. VP & CFO

Signatures

Tami D. Whitman, Attorney-in-Fact for Lindsay
A. Hall

**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) 25% of 2016 Annual Incentive Plan and 2014-2016 Long-term Incentive Plan payments were paid in equity.
- (2) Consists of 12,331 shares held directly, and 55,377 unvested restricted stock units.

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