HECLA MINING CO/DE/

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * McDonald Dean WA

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

HECLA MINING CO/DE/ [HL]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

Director X_ Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

6500 N. MINERAL DRIVE, SUITE

(Street)

200

06/25/2015

V.P. - Exploration

(Check all applicable)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

below)

COEUR D'ALENE, ID 83815

(City)	(State)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned									
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date		3.	4. Securit		1	5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature of		
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if		ction(A) or Disposed of			Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect		
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(D)		Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial			
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership			
							Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)		
					(A)		Reported				
					or		Transaction(s)				
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)				
Common Stock	06/25/2015		F	9,673 (1)	D	\$0	259,679	D			
Common Stock	06/25/2015		F	13,879 (2)	D	\$ 0	276,103	D			

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)

1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	onNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amount	t of	Derivative	Deriv
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Underly	ing	Security	Secui
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Securitie	es	(Instr. 5)	Bene
	Derivative				Securities			(Instr. 3	and 4)		Own
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						Exercisable	Date	Title Number of			
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				Code V	(A) (D)			S	hares		

Relationships

Reporting Owners

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

McDonald Dean WA V.P. -6500 N. MINERAL DRIVE, SUITE 200 **Exploration** COEUR D'ALENE, ID 83815

Signatures

Tami D. Whitman, Attorney-in-Fact for Dean W.A. 06/29/2015 McDonald

> **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).
- Mr. McDonald was awarded 63,362 restricted stock units on June 25, 2012. The restrictions lapsed on the remaining units (21,121 shares) (1) and Mr. McDonald elected to have Hecla Mining Company withhold 9,673 shares to cover his tax liability.
- Mr. McDonald was awarded 90,909 restricted stock units on June 25, 2014. The restrictions lapsed on one-third of those stock units (30,303 shares) and Mr. McDonald elected to have Hecla Mining Company withhold 13,879 shares to cover his tax liability.

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