CENTURY ALUMINUM CO

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Kruger Logan W

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

CENTURY ALUMINUM CO [CENX]

(Check all applicable)

President and CEO

(First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/01/2008

below)

_X__ Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

CENTURY ALUMINUM COMPANY, 2511 GARDEN ROAD, BLDG A, SUITE 200

> (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

F

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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

MONTEREY, CA 93940

(City) (State) (Zip)

01/01/2008

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect Securities Beneficially (D) or Beneficial Owned Indirect (I) Ownership Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported

Ι

(A) Code V Amount (D) Price

(1)

(Instr. 3 and 4) 9,837

D

24,919 D 54.02

Transaction(s)

Common Stock

Stock

Common

123.31 (2)

401(k)

SEC 1474

(9-02)

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	orNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amount	t of	Derivative	Deriv
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						Exercisable	Date	Title Number of			
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				Code V	(A) (D)			S	hares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Kruger Logan W							
CENTURY ALUMINUM COMPANY	X		President				
2511 GARDEN ROAD, BLDG A, SUITE 200	Λ		and CEO				
MONTEREY, CA 93940							

Signatures

William J. Leatherberry, Attorney-in-Fact for Logan W. 01/03/2008 Kruger

> **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).

Reports shares withheld by the Issuer to satisfy tax obligations at a net settlement price equal to the average of the high and low sales price on NASDAQ on December 31, 2007, the trading day immediately preceding the vesting date as the vesting day occured on a day

- (1) the markets were not open for trading, in connection with the shares of common stock granted to the Reporting Person on December 13, 2005, one-half of which vested on January 1, 2007 and the remaining one-half vested on January 1, 2008. Such shares were granted to the Reporting Person pursuant to a Rule 16b-3(d) plan.
- (2) Reported by 401(k) plan trustee as of January 2, 2008.

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