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

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1 Name and Address of Departing De

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Stock

TAYLOR ANTHONY P		Symbol	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol				Issuer			
		HECLA	HECLA MINING CO/DE/ [HL]				(Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First) (N	Middle) 3. Date of	Earliest Tr	ansaction						
		(Month/D	ay/Year)				_X_ Director		Owner	
C/O HECL MINERAL	A MINING CO, 6 DR. #200	5500 08/11/20	016				Officer (give below)	below)	er (specify	
	(Street)	4. If Ame	4. If Amendment, Date Original				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
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(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative S	ecuri	ties Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
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(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(Instr. 3, 4	and 5	5)	Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial	
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)				Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership	
							Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
					(A)		Reported			
					or		Transaction(s)			
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)			
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					Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

TAYLOR ANTHONY P C/O HECLA MINING CO 6500 MINERAL DR. #200 COEUR D'ALENE, ID 83815-8788



Signatures

Tami D. Whitman, Attorney-in-Fact for Anthony P. Taylor

08/11/2016

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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