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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement AK STEEL HOLDING CORP [AKS] Bisselberg Stephanie S (Month/Day/Year) 04/01/2013 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) 9227 CENTRE POINTE DRIVE (Check all applicable) (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) 10% Owner Director _X_ Form filed by One Reporting _X__ Officer Other Person WEST CHESTER, OHÂ 45069 (give title below) (specify below) Form filed by More than One VP - Human Resources Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 2. Amount of Securities 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) D Â Common Stock 39,551 Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB control number.

Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security	2. Date Exercisab	le and	3. Title and A	mount of	4.	5.	6. Nature of
(Instr. 4)	Expiration Date		Securities Underlying		Conversion	Ownership	Indirect Beneficial
	(Month/Day/Year)		Derivative Security		or Exercise	Form of	Ownership
				(Instr. 4)		Derivative	(Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	A manuat an	Derivative	Security:	
				Amount or Number of	Security	Direct (D)	
						or Indirect	

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				Shares		(I) (Instr. 5)	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	10/20/2011(1)	10/20/2020	Common Stock	2,250	\$ 13.83	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	01/19/2012(2)	01/19/2021	Common Stock	1,531	\$ 14.57	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	01/18/2013(3)	01/18/2022	Common Stock	4,100	\$ 9.11	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	01/23/2014(4)	01/23/2023	Common Stock	5,500	\$ 4.59	D	Â
Performance Shares	12/31/2013	12/31/2013	Common Stock	962.5 (5)	\$ <u>(6)</u>	D	Â
Performance Shares	12/31/2014	12/31/2014	Common Stock	2,400 (7)	\$ (8)	D	Â
Performance Shares	12/31/2015	12/31/2015	Common Stock	3,200 (9)	\$ (10)	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Bisselberg Stephanie S	^	â	VP -	•		
9227 CENTRE POINTE DRIVE WEST CHESTER, OH 45069	Â	Ä	Human Resources	Â		

Signatures

/s/ Stephanie S.
Bisselberg

**Signature of Reporting

Date

Person

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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) Options vest in three equal annual installments beginning one year after grant date.
- (2) Options vest in three equal annual installments beginning one year after grant date.
- (3) Options vest in three equal annual installments beginning one year after grant date.
- (4) Options vest in three equal annual installments beginning one year after grant date.
- This represents one half of the Performance Shares which were awarded on January 19, 2011 and are required to be reported at this time because they constitute derivative securities. The other half do not constitute derivative securities and therefore are not required to be reported at this time.
- Each Performance Share represents a contingent right to receive 0 to 1.5 shares of Common Stock. The conversion rate (0, .5, 1 or 1.5) ultimately applied to these Performance Shares will be determined based on the compounded annual growth rate ("CAGR") of the Common Stock between January 1, 2011 and December 31, 2013 (the "Performance Period").

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- This represents one half of the Performance Shares which were awarded on January 18, 2012 and are required to be reported at this time because they constitute derivative securities. The other half do not constitute derivative securities and therefore are not required to be reported at this time.
- Each Performance Share represents a contingent right to receive 0 to 1.5 shares of Common Stock. The conversion rate (0, .5, 1 or 1.5) ultimately applied to these Performance Shares will be determined based on the compounded annual growth rate ("CAGR") of the Common Stock between January 1, 2012 and December 31, 2014 (the "Performance Period").
- This represents one half of the Performance Shares which were awarded on January 23, 2013 and are required to be reported at this time because they constitute derivative securities. The other half do not constitute derivative securities and therefore are not required to be reported at this time.
- Each Performance Share represents a contingent right to receive 0 to 1.5 shares of Common Stock. The conversion rate (0, .5, 1 or 1.5) (10) ultimately applied to these Performance Shares will be determined based on the compounded annual growth rate ("CAGR") of the Common Stock between January 1, 2013 and December 31, 2015 (the "Performance Period").

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