McDonald Dean WA Form 4 June 28, 2018

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

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]

Issuer

(Last)

(City)

(First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

6500 N. MINERAL DRIVE, SUITE

200

06/28/2018

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

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below) below) Sr. VP - Exploration

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

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

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

(D) or

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Indirect (I)

(Instr. 4)

6. Ownership 7. Nature of

Beneficial

Ownership

(Instr. 4)

Form: Direct Indirect

Person

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

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(State)

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of Securities (Instr. 3) Code (D) Beneficially (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Owned Following Reported

(A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Amount (D) Price

Common 06/28/2018 Stock

Code V 40,211 F D (1)

\$0 559,644 (2)

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)

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)		ate	7. Title a Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 a	of ng s	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(Instr. 3, 4, and 5) (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	or Title Nu of	umber		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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Signatures

Tami D. Whitman, Attorney-in-Fact for Dean W.A. 06/28/2018 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).
 - Dr. McDonald was awarded: (i) 122,950 restricted stock units on July 1, 2015; (ii) 68,182 restricted stock units on June 7, 2016; and (iii)
- (1) 51,107 restricted stock units on June 7, 2017. The restrictions lapsed on 1/3 of these vesting units (80,745 shares). Dr. McDonald elected to have Hecla Mining Company withhold 40,211 shares to cover his tax liability.
- (2) Total consists of 437,571 shares held directly and 122,073 unvested restricted stock units.

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