

Lair Michelle
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Lair Michelle

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
CENTURY ALUMINUM CO
[CENX]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
2511 GARDEN ROAD, BLDG A,
SUITE 200

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
02/27/2007

____ Director
 Officer (give title below)
____ 10% Owner
____ Other (specify below)
VP Treasurer

MONTEREY, CA 93940

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

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

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V Amount (D) Price			
COMMON STOCK	02/27/2007		M	1,334 A \$ 23.175	1,334	D	
COMMON STOCK	02/27/2007		S	1,334 D \$ 46.7136 (1)	0	D	
COMMON STOCK					206.206 (4)	I	401(K)

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 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. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
STOCK OPTION (2)	\$ 23.175	02/27/2007		M	1,334	(3)	12/08/2014	COMMON STOCK	1,334

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Lair Michelle 2511 GARDEN ROAD BLDG A, SUITE 200 MONTEREY, CA 93940			VP Treasurer	

Signatures

William J. Leatherberry, Attorney-in-fact for Michelle
M. Lair

02/28/2007

**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).
- (1) Represents the sale of 1,334 shares in 11 separate transactions at prices ranging from \$46.69 to \$46.72 per share, resulting in an average sale price per share of \$46.7136.
- (2) Grant of 4,000 employee stock options made December 8, 2004.
- (3) Options vest and become exercisable in three installments, one-third on the grant date, one-third on the first anniversary of the grant date, and one-third on the second anniversary of the grant date.
- (4) Reported by 401(K) trustee as of February 23, 2007.

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