

Buffington Randy E.  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF 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

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

Buffington Randy E.

(Last) (First) (Middle)

505 FRONT AVENUE, P.O. BOX I

(Street)

COEUR D'ALENE, ID 83816-0316

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Date of Event Requiring Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

01/01/2013

3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

COEUR D ALENE MINES CORP [CDE]

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer  Other  
(give title below) (specify below)  
SVP, Operations

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)

Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)

5,724 <sup>(1)</sup>

3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)

D

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)

2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)

Date Exercisable

3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)

Title

4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security

5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D)

6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)

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	Expiration Date	Expiration Date	Amount or Number of Shares	Amount or Number of Shares	or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Non-qualified Stock Options (right to buy)	01/31/2013 <sup>(2)</sup>	01/31/2022	Common Stock	5,343 \$ 27.66	D	Â
Incentive Stock Options (right to buy)	01/31/2013 <sup>(2)</sup>	01/31/2022	Common Stock	3,615 \$ 27.66	D	Â

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Buffington Randy E. 505 FRONT AVENUE P.O. BOX I COEUR D'ALENE, ID 83816-0316	Â	Â	Â SVP, Operations	Â

## Signatures

/s/ Casey M. Nault,  
Attorney-in-Fact  
Date: 01/08/2013

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## 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) Includes 5,724 unvested shares of restricted stock.
- (2) This stock option becomes exercisable to the extent of one-third on each of the above date, its first anniversary, and its second.

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### Remarks:

Exhibit List: Exhibit 24 - Power of Attorney

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