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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Leatherberry William J

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

01/01/2008

2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

CENTURY ALUMINUM CO [CENX]

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Vice President

5. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

CENTURY ALUMINUM COMPANY, Â 2511 GARDEN ROAD, BLDG A, SUITE 200

(Street)

Director _X__ Officer (give title below) (specify below)

10% Owner Other

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

Person

Form filed by More than One

Reporting Person

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial

MONTEREY. CAÂ 93940

(City) (State) (Zip) **Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security

(Instr. 4)

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

(Instr. 4)

3. Ownership Form:

Ownership (Instr. 5)

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Direct (D) or Indirect (I)

(Instr. 5)

Common Stock 177

Common Stock

D

52.8529 (1) Ι By 401(k) plan

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)

3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying

4. Conversion Ownership

6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership

Derivative Security Form of (Instr. 5) or Exercise

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		(Instr. 4)		Price of	Derivative
Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Derivative Security	Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
•	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Leatherberry William J				
CENTURY ALUMINUM COMPANY	Â	Â	Vice President	â
2511 GARDEN ROAD, BLDG A, SUITE 200	A	А	A vice riesident	A
MONTEREY. CA 93940				

Signatures

William J.
Leatherberry

**Signature of Reporting Person

O1/07/2008

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) Reported by 401(k) Trustee as of January 3, 2008.

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