### FORM 4

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

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Add SCHNEIDER		Person -	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CENTURY ALUMINUM CO [CENX]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last) 2511 GARDE	(First) N RD. #A-200	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/04/2008	(Check all applicable) DirectorX_Officer (give titleOther (specify below)			
				Sr.VP;ChiefAcct.Off;Controller			
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
MONTEREY,	CA 93940			Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)					

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

	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Securities Beneficially Owned	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
		(Month/Day/Year)	Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
Common Stock	11/04/2008		S		255.0938	D	\$14.59	5,219	D	

## 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)	4. Transact Code (Instr. 8)		5. Numb Derivati Securition Acquire Dispose (Instr. 3, 5)	ve es d (A) or d of (D)		;	Under	le and Amount of rlying Securities 3 and 4)	Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	Derivative Securities	Form of Derivative	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	(I) (Instr. 4)	

#### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships								
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other					
SCHNEIDER STEVE 2511 GARDEN RD. #A–200 MONTEREY, CA 93940			Sr.VP;ChiefAcct.Off;Controller						

#### **Explanation of Responses:**

#### **Signatures**

William J. Leatherberry, Attorney-in-Fact for Steve Schneider

01/22/2009

Date

Signature of Reporting Person

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

- \* 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).

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