AK STEEL HOLDING CORP

Form 4

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Last)

Common

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Newport Roger K

(First)

(Street)

01/18/2007

(Middle)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

AK STEEL HOLDING CORP

[AKS]

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

01/18/2007

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

Director X_ Officer (give title

Issuer

10% Owner Other (specify

below) Chief Acctg Off & Controller

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

(Check all applicable)

Applicable Line)

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

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Person

703 CURTIS ST

MIDDLETOWN, OH 45043

(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned
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1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securities	5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature of
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	nAcquired (A) or	Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	Disposed of (D)	Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership
					Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
				(4)	Reported		
				(A)	Transaction(s)		
				or	~		

(Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

\$0 A 5,000 A 25,141.259

Owned by Common 50 I Stock Son

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 on 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	Amoun or Numbe of Shares
Stock Option	\$ 16.755	01/18/2007		A	1,667	01/18/2008	01/18/2017	Common Stock	1,667
Stock Option	\$ 16.755	01/18/2007		A	1,667	01/18/2009	01/18/2017	Common Stock	1,667
Stock Option	\$ 16.755	01/18/2007		A	1,666	01/18/2010	01/18/2017	Common Stock	1,666
Performance Shares	<u>(1)</u>	01/18/2007		A	3,250 (1)	12/31/2009	12/31/2009	Common Stock	<u>(1)</u>

Reporting Owners

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Newport Roger K 703 CURTIS ST MIDDLETOWN, OH 45043

Chief Acctg Off & Controller

Signatures

/s/Roger K.
Newport

**Signature of Date

Reporting Person

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).
- The Performance Share award consisted of 3,250 derivative securities and an additional 3,250 Performance Shares which do not constitute derivative securities and are therefore not currently reportable. The 3,250 derivative securities awarded may result in the issuance of shares of common stock in an amount 0 to 1.5 times the amount of derivative securities awarded, depending on the level of performance achieved.

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