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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading RABIN STANLEY A Issuer Symbol COMMERCIAL METALS CO (Check all applicable) [CMC] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction _X__ Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) 6565 N. MACARTHUR 07/08/2005 Chairman; Pres. & CEO; Dir. **BLVD., SUITE 800** (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting **IRVING, TX 75039** (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (D) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Ownership (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) Following (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Price Amount (D) Common 14,500 07/08/2005 \$0 A A 864,500 D (1) Stock

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)

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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. Transact Code (Instr. 8)	tioi	or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4,		Derivative Securities (Mo Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4,		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amoun Underlying Securiti (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V		(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amor or Numl of Sh		
Stock Appreciation Rights	\$ 24.62	07/08/2005		A		35,200 (2)		07/08/2006	07/08/2012	Common Stock	35,2		

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
RABIN STANLEY A							
6565 N. MACARTHUR BLVD. SUITE 800	X		Chairman; Pres. & CEO; Dir.				

IRVING, TX 75039

Signatures

By: David M. Sudbury For: Stanley A. 07/11/2005

**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) Award of restricted stock under 1996 Long-Term Incentive Plan. Restrictions lapse as to one-third of shares after one year, one-third after second year and as to remainder after three years.
- (2) Stock Appreciation Rights issued under the 1996 Long-Term Incentive Plan. Rights vest as to one-third after one year; one-third after two years and the remainder after the third year.

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