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Address	1700 LINCOLN STREET
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Sector	Basic Materials
Fiscal Year	12/31

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *	2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)
MURDY WAYNE W	**NEWMONT MINING CORP /DE/ [NEM]**	_____ Director _____ 10% Owner
(Last) (First) (Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (MM/DD/YYYY)	__ **X** __ Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
1700 LINCOLN STREET	**5/2/2006**	**Chairman and CEO**
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (MM/DD/YYYY)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)
DENVER, CO 80203		_ **X** _ Form filed by One Reporting Person
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Trans. Date	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	3. Trans. Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock, $1.60 par value	**5/2/2006**		**M**		**5300**	**A**	**$18.19**	**136896**	**D**	
Common Stock, $1.60 par value	**5/2/2006**		**S**		**5300**	**D**	**$57.55**	**131596**	**D**	
Common Stock, $1.60 par value	**5/2/2006**		**M**		**200**	**A**	**$18.19**	**131796**	**D**	
Common Stock, $1.60 par value	**5/2/2006**		**S**		**200**	**D**	**$57.57**	**131596**	**D**	
Common Stock, $1.60 par value	**5/2/2006**		**M**		**7600**	**A**	**$18.19**	**139196**	**D**	
Common Stock, $1.60 par value	**5/2/2006**		**S**		**7600**	**D**	**$57.58**	**131596**	**D**	
Common Stock, $1.60 par value	**5/2/2006**		**M**		**600**	**A**	**$18.19**	**132196**	**D**	
Common Stock, $1.60 par value	**5/2/2006**		**S**		**600**	**D**	**$57.59**	**131596**	**D**	
Common Stock, $1.60 par value	**5/2/2006**		**M**		**3400**	**A**	**$18.19**	**134996**	**D**	
Common Stock, $1.60 par value	**5/2/2006**		**S**		**3400**	**D**	**$57.60**	**131596**	**D**	
Common Stock, $1.60 par value	**5/2/2006**		**M**		**300**	**A**	**$18.19**	**131896**	**D**	
Common Stock, $1.60 par value	**5/2/2006**		**S**		**300**	**D**	**$57.61**	**131596**	**D**	
Common Stock, $1.60 par value	**5/2/2006**		**M**		**400**	**A**	**$18.19**	**131996**	**D**	
Common Stock, $1.60 par value	**5/2/2006**		**S**		**400**	**D**	**$57.62**	**131596**	**D**	
Common Stock, $1.60 par value	**5/2/2006**		**M**		**1100**	**A**	**$18.19**	**132696**	**D**	
Common Stock, $1.60 par value	**5/2/2006**		**S**		**1100**	**D**	**$57.66**	**131596**	**D**	
Common Stock, $1.60 par value	**5/2/2006**		**M**		**4500**	**A**	**$18.19**	**136096**	**D**	

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			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock, $1.60 par value	**5/2/2006**		**S**		**4500**	**D**	**$57.68**	**131596**	**D**	
Common Stock, $1.60 par value	**5/2/2006**		**M**		**7800**	**A**	**$18.19**	**139396**	**D**	
Common Stock, $1.60 par value	**5/2/2006**		**S**		**7800**	**D**	**$57.69**	**131596**	**D**	
Common Stock, $1.60 par value	**5/2/2006**		**M**		**9600**	**A**	**$18.19**	**141196**	**D**	
Common Stock, $1.60 par value	**5/2/2006**		**S**		**9600**	**D**	**$57.70**	**131596**	**D**	
Common Stock, $1.60 par value	**5/2/2006**		**M**		**100**	**A**	**$18.19**	**131696**	**D**	
Common Stock, $1.60 par value	**5/2/2006**		**S**		**100**	**D**	**$57.71**	**131596**	**D**	
Common Stock, $1.60 par value	**5/2/2006**		**M**		**5270**	**A**	**$18.19**	**136866**	**D**	
Common Stock, $1.60 par value	**5/2/2006**		**S**		**5270**	**D**	**$57.72**	**131596**	**D**	
Common Stock, $1.60 par value	**5/2/2006**		**M**		**800**	**A**	**$18.19**	**132396**	**D**	
Common Stock, $1.60 par value	**5/2/2006**		**S**		**800**	**D**	**$57.73**	**131596** (1)	**D**	

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

1. Title of Derivate Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Trans. Date	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Trans. Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	**$18.19**	**5/2/2006**		**M**			**5300**	(2)	**1/26/2009**	**Common Stock**	**5300**	**$0**	**211170**	**D**	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	**$18.19**	**5/2/2006**		**M**			**200**	(2)	**1/26/2009**	**Common Stock**	**200**	**$0**	**210970**	**D**	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	**$18.19**	**5/2/2006**		**M**			**7600**	(2)	**1/26/2009**	**Common Stock**	**7600**	**$0**	**203370**	**D**	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	**$18.19**	**5/2/2006**		**M**			**600**	(2)	**1/26/2009**	**Common Stock**	**600**	**$0**	**202700**	**D**	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	**$18.19**	**5/2/2006**		**M**			**3400**	(2)	**1/26/2009**	**Common Stock**	**3400**	**$0**	**199370**	**D**	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	**$18.19**	**5/2/2006**		**M**			**300**	(2)	**1/26/2009**	**Common Stock**	**300**	**$0**	**199070**	**D**	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	**$18.19**	**5/2/2006**		**M**			**400**	(2)	**1/26/2009**	**Common Stock**	**400**	**$0**	**198670**	**D**	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	**$18.19**	**5/2/2006**		**M**			**1100**	(2)	**1/26/2009**	**Common Stock**	**1100**	**$0**	**197570**	**D**	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	**$18.19**	**5/2/2006**		**M**			**4500**	(2)	**1/26/2009**	**Common Stock**	**4500**	**$0**	**193070**	**D**	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	**$18.19**	**5/2/2006**		**M**			**7800**	(2)	**1/26/2009**	**Common Stock**	**7800**	**$0**	**185270**	**D**	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	**$18.19**	**5/2/2006**		**M**			**9600**	(2)	**1/26/2009**	**Common Stock**	**9600**	**$0**	**175670**	**D**	

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Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	**$18.19**	**5/2/2006**		**M**			**100**	(2)	**1/26/2009**	**Common Stock**	**100**	**$0**	**175570**	**D**	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	**$18.19**	**5/2/2006**		**M**			**5270**	(2)	**1/26/2009**	**Common Stock**	**5270**	**$0**	**170300**	**D**	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	**$18.19**	**5/2/2006**		**M**			**800**	(2)	**1/26/2009**	**Common Stock**	**800**	**$0**	**169500**	**D**	

Explanation of Responses:

(1) This report is to report the second 28 transactions, additional Form 4 to follow.

(2) The option vested in two equal annual installments beginning January 26, 2000 and 2001.

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
MURDY WAYNE W 1700 LINCOLN STREET DENVER, CO 80203			**Chairman and CEO**	

Signatures

Sharon E. Thomas, Vice President and Secretary, as attorney-in-fact — **5/4/2006**

** Signature of Reporting Person — Date

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

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