COEUR D ALENE MINES CORP

Form 4

March 31, 2006

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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(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 SABALA JAMES A Issuer Symbol COEUR D ALENE MINES CORP (Check all applicable) [CED] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) **505 FRONT AVENUE** 03/29/2006 Executive VP and CFO (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 COEUR D'ALENE, ID 83814

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(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	ecuri	ties Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired saction(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Beneficially (D) or Owned Indirect (I) Following (Instr. 4) Reported		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock, Par Value \$1.00 per share	03/29/2006		S	9,200	D		121,231 (1)	D	
Common Stock, Par Value \$1.00 per share	03/29/2006		S	3,300	D	\$ 6.41	117,931 <u>(1)</u>	D	
Common Stock, Par	03/29/2006		S	27,500	D	\$ 6.42	90,431 (1)	D	

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Value \$1.00 per share

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			7. Title and Amount Underlying Securitie (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Sha
Incentive Stock Options	\$ 7.09					02/19/2005	02/19/2014	Common Stock	29,32
Non-Qualified Stock Options	\$ 7.09					02/19/2005	02/19/2014	Common Stock	3,66
Incentive Stock Options	\$ 3.92					02/16/2006(2)	02/16/2015	Common Stock	25,5
Non-Qualified Stock Options	\$ 3.92					02/16/2006(2)	02/16/2015	Common Stock	33,70
Incentive Stock Options	\$ 5.14					02/20/2007(2)	02/20/2016	Common Stock	19,4
Non-Qualified Stock Options	\$ 5.14					02/20/2007(2)	02/20/2016	Common Stock	12,14

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Keiationsinps						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
SABALA JAMES A			Executive VP and CFO				
505 FRONT AVENUE							

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/s/ Arthur H. Bill, Attorney-in-Fact 03/30/2006

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- * 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) Includes 53,043 unvested shares of restricted stock.
- (2) The stock options become exercisable to the extent of one-third on the above date and are cumulatively exercisable to the extent of one-third each year thereafter.

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