

NEWMONT MINING CORP /DE/
Form 4
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FORM 4

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
MAHONEY THOMAS P

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
NEWMONT MINING CORP /DE/ [NEM]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
1700 LINCOLN STREET
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
03/15/2006

____ Director
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
Vice President

DENVER, CO 80203

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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(City) (State) (Zip)

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

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction 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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| | | | Code | V | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price |
| Common Stock, \$1.60 par value | 03/15/2006 | | M | | 1,800 | A | \$ 37.82 |
| Common Stock, \$1.60 par value | 03/15/2006 | | S | | 1,800 | D | \$ 50.0681 |
| Common Stock, \$1.60 par value | 03/15/2006 | | M | | 1,500 | A | \$ 25.44 |

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|--------------------------------|------------|---|-------|---|------------|-----------------------|---|
| Common Stock, \$1.60 par value | 03/15/2006 | S | 1,500 | D | \$ 50.0681 | 11,931 | D |
| Common Stock, \$1.60 par value | 03/15/2006 | M | 625 | A | \$ 21.03 | 12,556 | D |
| Common Stock, \$1.60 par value | 03/15/2006 | S | 625 | D | \$ 50.0681 | 11,931 | D |
| Common Stock, \$1.60 par value | 03/15/2006 | M | 938 | A | \$ 23.67 | 12,869 | D |
| Common Stock, \$1.60 par value | 03/15/2006 | S | 938 | D | \$ 50.0681 | 11,931 | D |
| Common Stock, \$1.60 par value | 03/15/2006 | M | 2,812 | A | \$ 28.56 | 14,743 | D |
| Common Stock, \$1.60 par value | 03/15/2006 | S | 2,812 | D | \$ 50.0681 | 11,931 | D |
| Common Stock, \$1.60 par value | 03/15/2006 | M | 3,125 | A | \$ 23.99 | 15,056 | D |
| Common Stock, \$1.60 par value | 03/15/2006 | S | 3,125 | D | \$ 50.0681 | 11,931 | D |
| Common Stock, \$1.60 par value | 03/15/2006 | M | 4,166 | A | \$ 28.11 | 16,097 | D |
| Common Stock, \$1.60 par value | 03/15/2006 | S | 4,166 | D | \$ 50.0681 | 11,931 ⁽¹⁾ | D |

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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 of 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) | 8. Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|-------------------------------|
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 37.82 | 03/15/2006 | | M | 1,800 | <u>(2)</u> 05/21/2007 | Common Stock | 1,800 |
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 25.44 | 03/15/2006 | | M | 1,500 | <u>(3)</u> 05/16/2010 | Common Stock | 1,500 |
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 21.03 | 03/15/2006 | | M | 625 | <u>(4)</u> 05/15/2011 | Common Stock | 625 |
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 23.67 | 03/15/2006 | | M | 938 | <u>(5)</u> 11/12/2011 | Common Stock | 938 |
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 28.56 | 03/15/2006 | | M | 2,812 | <u>(6)</u> 05/14/2012 | Common Stock | 2,812 |
| Employee Stock | \$ 23.99 | 03/15/2006 | | M | 3,125 | <u>(7)</u> 11/20/2012 | Common Stock | 3,125 |

Option
(right to
buy)

Employee
Stock

| | | | | | | | | | |
|-----------------------------|----------|------------|--|---|-------|------------|------------|-----------------|-------|
| Option (right to buy) | \$ 28.11 | 03/15/2006 | | M | 4,166 | <u>(8)</u> | 05/06/2013 | Common Stock | 4,166 |
|-----------------------------|----------|------------|--|---|-------|------------|------------|-----------------|-------|

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|----------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| MAHONEY THOMAS P 1700 LINCOLN STREET DENVER, CO 80203 | | | Vice President | |

Signatures

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| Ardis Young, Assistant Secretary, as attorney-in-fact | 03/17/2006 |
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__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) As of February 24, 2006 the reporting person held 1,464 shares of Newmont Mining Corporation common stock in his 401-K Plan.
- (2) Options vested in four equal installments beginning May 21, 1998, 1999, 2000 and 2001.
- (3) Options vested in four equal installments beginning May 16, 2001, 2002, 2003 and 2004.
- (4) Options vested in four equal installments beginning May 15, 2002, 2003, 2004 and 2005.
- (5) Options vested in four equal installments beginning November 12, 2002, 2003, 2004 and 2005.
- (6) Options vests in four equal installments beginning May 14, 2003, 2004, 2005 and 2006.
- (7) Options vests in four equal installments beginning November 20, 2003, 2004, 2005 and 2006.
- (8) Options vests in three equal installments beginning May 6, 2004, 2005 and 2006.

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