

**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Labarge Suzanne B</u>  (Last) (First) (Middle) 3399 PEACHTREE ROAD, NE SUITE 1500  (Street) ATLANTA GA 30326  (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>Novelis Inc. [ NVL ]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/23/2006	
	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			

**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 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: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date						Title
Phantom Units	(1)	03/23/2006		A		17.7906 <sup>(2)</sup>		(3)	(3)	Common Stock	17.7906	\$20.0548 <sup>(4)</sup>	3,982.0822	D	

**Explanation of Responses:**

- Each phantom unit issuable under the issuer's Directors' Deferred Share Unit Plan for Non-Executive Directors ("DSU Plan") is the economic equivalent of one common share of the issuer.
- Dividend received on phantom units in accordance with the DSU Plan.
- The phantom units become payable, in cash or common shares or a combination thereof, at the election of the reporting person, upon the reporting person's termination of service as a director. Such payment will be made in compliance with the terms of the DSU Plan.
- The price is the average share price on the date the dividend is paid as defined by the plan.

**Remarks:**

/s/ Christopher Courts, Attorney-in-Fact 03/27/2006

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

\* 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).

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SECTION 16 REPORTING OBLIGATIONS

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that I, the undersigned, Suzanne  
Bray  
Labarge, have by these presents constituted and appointed and in my  
place  
and stead put Leslie J. Parrette, Jr., Christopher Courts, Shannon  
Curran,  
Michael Shelby, and Marion Greenhalgh, severally, to be my true  
and lawful  
attorneys, for me and in my name to sign, file or register,  
electronically  
or otherwise, with the appropriate authorities all  
information, documents  
or filings in relation to the reporting required  
by law of any trading of  
my securities in Novelis Inc.

I DECLARE  
that the power conferred in  
this Power of Attorney shall remain in full  
force and effect until due  
notice in writing of its revocation shall have  
been given by me.

FURTHER, I ratify and confirm whatsoever my  
attorney shall lawfully do  
or cause to be done by virtue of these  
presents.

THIS Power of  
Attorney hereby revokes all previous  
Powers of Attorney in respect of the  
subject matter hereof.

IN  
WITNESS WHEREOF I have set my hand this 7th  
day of March, 2006.

/s/ Suzanne Bray Labarge