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FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE CO							OMMISSION		OMB APPROVAL		
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Form 5 obligation may contri <i>See</i> Instru 1(b).	Filed pu ns Section 17	Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940									
(Print or Type R	Responses)										
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> GANT DOUGLAS W			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AK STEEL HOLDING CORP [AKS]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) C/O AK ST SECY, 703	3. Date of Earliest Transaction(Month/Day/Year)01/19/2006					Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) below) VP Sales and Customer Service					
	(Street)					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person					
MIDDLETC	OWN, OH 4504	3						Form filed by M Person	Iore than One Re	porting	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Securi	ties Acq	uired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Da (Month/Day/Year	med on Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired m(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)			
				Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common Stock	01/19/2006			А	11,250	А	\$0	47,279	D		
Common Stock	01/20/2006			F	1,031	D	\$ 7.83	46,248	D		

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amour Underlying Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Share
Stock Option	\$ 7.885	01/19/2006		А	3,750	01/19/2007	01/19/2016	Common Stock	3,7
Stock Option	\$ 7.885	01/19/2006		А	3,750	01/19/2008	01/19/2016	Common Stock	3,7
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Stock Performance	<u>(1)</u>	01/19/2006		А	8,437.5 (1)	12/31/2008	12/31/2008	Common Stock	<u>(1</u>

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
GANT DOUGLAS W C/O AK STEEL HOLDING CORP. SECY 703 CURTIS ST MIDDLETOWN, OH 45043			VP Sales and Customer Service				
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Signatures

**Signature of

Reporting Person

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/s/Douglas Gant 01/23/2006

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

Date

** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

The Performance Share award consisted of 8,437.5 derivative securities and an additional 8,437.5 Performance Shares which do not constitute derivative securities and are therefore not currently reportable. The 8,437.5 derivative securities awarded may result in the

(1) constitute derivative securities and are increase into currently reportable. The 5,45775 derivative securities awarded may result in the issuance of shares of common stock in an amount 0 to 1.5 times the amount of derivative securities awarded, depending on the level of performance achieved.

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