

Comstock Mining Inc.  
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 \*  
Kopple Robert C.

(Last) (First) (Middle)

10866 WILSHIRE BLVD., SUITE 1500

(Street)

LOS ANGELES, CA 90024

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
Comstock Mining Inc. [LODE]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
08/27/2015

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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**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			
Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup>	08/27/2015		M		909,091	A	\$ 0	3,841,592	I	Robert C. Kopple as Trustee for the E.L. II Properties Trust Dated 7 /1/1983
Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup>	08/27/2015		J	V	190,500	A	\$ 0	4,032,092	I	Robert C. Kopple as Trustee for the E.L. II Properties

Trust Dated  
7 /1/1983

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
Series B Convertible Preferred Stock <sup>(1)</sup>	\$ 1.65	08/27/2015		M	1,500	<u>(2)</u> <u>(3)</u>	Common Stock	909,091 <u>(4)</u>

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Kopple Robert C. 10866 WILSHIRE BLVD., SUITE 1500 LOS ANGELES, CA 90024	X			

## Signatures

/s/ Robert C.  
Kopple

08/31/2015

          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).

On August 27, 2015, Comstock Mining Inc. forced the conversion of all outstanding shares of convertible preferred stock upon receiving

- (1) approval from a majority of the holders thereof. In addition, a special dividend of 127 common shares per share of preferred stock was declared.
- (2) Exercisable at any time by the reporting person upon conversion of preferred shares.
- (3) No expiration date.
- (4) 1,500 shares of Series B Convertible Preferred Stock were convertible into 909,091 shares of Common Stock.

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