

FREEPORT MCMORAN COPPER & GOLD INC
 Form 4
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FORM 4

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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 *
 SNIDER TIMOTHY R

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 FREEPORT MCMORAN COPPER & GOLD INC [FCX]

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

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 ONE NORTH CENTRAL AVENUE
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 05/11/2007

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 ____ Officer (give title below) ____ Other (specify below)
 President & COO

PHOENIX, AZ 85004
 (City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 X Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Code V Amount (D) Price		

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	2. Conversion or Exercise	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Transaction Code	5. Number of Derivative Securities	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number Shares
Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 72.92	05/11/2007			A		250,000		05/11/2008 ⁽¹⁾	05/11/2017	Common Stock	250,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SNIDER TIMOTHY R ONE NORTH CENTRAL AVENUE PHOENIX, AZ 85004			President & COO	

Signatures

Kelly C. Simoneaux on behalf of Timothy R. Snider pursuant to a power of attorney 05/15/2007

__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) 25% exercisable on the date indicated and 25% exercisable on each of the next three anniversaries thereof.

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Date	Exercisable	Expiration	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Non-Qualified Stock Option	Non-Qualified Stock Option
7.15503/01/2017	M	184,400	⁽⁵⁾ 12/03/2018	Common Stock	184,400	\$ 0
7.15503/02/2017	M	40,823	⁽⁵⁾ 12/03/2018	Common Stock	40,823	\$ 0

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
HOFFMAN MICHAEL J 8111 LYNDAL AVENUE SOUTH BLOOMINGTON, MN 55420-1196	X		Chairman of the Board	

Signatures

/s/ Nancy A. McGrath,
Attorney-In-Fact 03/03/2017

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- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares of common stock were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$60.92 to \$61.34, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to the issuer, any security holder of the issuer, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in footnotes (1) and (2) to this Form 4.
- (1) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares of common stock were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$60.50 to \$61.07, inclusive.
 - (2) Includes 787.153 shares of common stock acquired by the reporting person under the dividend reinvestment feature of The Toro Company Direct Stock Purchase Plan since the date of his last report.
 - (3) Includes 426.658 net shares acquired by the reporting person under the dividend reinvestment feature of The Toro Company Investment, Savings & ESOP since the date of his last report, less quarterly non-discretionary administrative fees.
 - (4) The option vested in three equal annual installments commencing on the first anniversary of the date of grant, which was December 3, 2008.

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