

FREEPORT MCMORAN COPPER & GOLD INC
 Form 4
 December 04, 2002

FORM 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
 Washington, DC 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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(Print or Type Responses) I. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Ford Gerald J. (Last) (First) (Middle)			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Freeport-McMoRan Copper & Gold Inc. (FCX)		6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> Officer (specify title below) <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify below)			
200 Crescent Court, Suite 1350 (Street) Dallas Texas 75201 (City) (State) (Zip)			3. I.R.S. Identification Number of Reporting Person, if an entity (Voluntary) 08/01/02		4. Statement for Month/Day/Year 5. If Amendment, <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> 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	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	3. Transaction Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 8)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (D) or		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership

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	(Month/ Day/ Year)	(Month/ Day/ Year)	Code	5)			Price	Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)
				Amount	(A) or (D)				

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).

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FORM 4 (continued)	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. Conver- sion or Exercise Price of Deri- vative Security	3. Trans- action Date (Month/ Day/ Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/ Day/ Year)	4. Trans- action Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Number of Deriv- ative Secur- ities Ac- quired (A) or Dis- posed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exer- cisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/ Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Deriv- ative Secur- ity (Instr. 5)	9. Num of der ivative Secur ities Bene- ficiall Owne Follow ing Repor Trans action (Instr.
					Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exer- cisable	Expira- tion Date		

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										of Shares		
Options ⁽¹⁾ (right to buy)	\$15.195	08/01/02		A	V	10,000	08/01/03 ⁽²⁾	08/01/12	Class B Common Stock	10,000	None	10,000
Stock Appreciation Rights	\$15.195	08/01/02		A	V	6,556	08/01/03 ⁽²⁾	08/01/12	Class B Common Stock	6,556	None	6,556

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Options with rights to "Option Cancellation Gain" Payments
- 2. 25% exercisable on the date indicated and 25% exercisable on the next three anniversaries thereof

**Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations.
See

18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

/s/ Margaret F. Murphy
 **Signature of
 Reporting Person
 Margaret F. Murphy, on
 behalf of
 Gerald J. Ford

12/02/02
 Date

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