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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

ADKERSON RICHARD C		Symbol				ıg	Issuer				
			FREEPORT MCMORAN COPPER & GOLD INC [FCX]			PPER	(Check all applicable)				
(Last)	(First) (I	Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)			_X_ Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify					
333 NORTH CENTRAL AVENUE			02/15/2014					below) below) Vice Chairman, President & CEO			
				4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
PHOENIX,	AZ 85004		Filed(Moi	ith/Day/Year)			Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by O Form filed by M Person	1 0		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Securi	ities Acq	uired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit on(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4)	sposed	Price	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)	
Common Stock	02/15/2014			F(1)	20,543	D	\$ 33.75	2,704,653 (2)	D		
Common Stock								20,330	I	By IRA	
Common Stock								201,009	I	Through Trust	
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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Titl	le and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	orNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amou	ınt of	Derivative	Deriv
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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
reporting o main runner runners	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
ADKERSON RICHARD C 333 NORTH CENTRAL AVENUE PHOENIX, AZ 85004	X		Vice Chairman, President & CEO				

Signatures

Kelly C. Simoneaux, on behalf of Richard C. Adkerson, pursuant to a power of attorney 02/19/2014

**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) Shares withheld to cover the taxes due upon the vesting of 46,539 performance-based restricted stock units, the grant of which was previously reported on a Form 4 filed February 10, 2011.
- (2) Includes 1,000,000 restricted stock units and 406,998 performance-based restricted stock units.

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