

FORD GERALD J  
Form 4  
July 27, 2011

**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
**Washington, D.C. 20549**

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF  
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
FORD GERALD J

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)

200 CRESCENT COURT, SUITE  
1350

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

07/26/2011

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

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  
Applicable Line)

☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person

☐ Form filed by More than One Reporting  
Person

DALLAS, TX 75201

(City) (State) (Zip)

**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)
Common Stock				(A) or (D)	Price		By Self as Trustee of Trust
Common Stock	07/26/2011		M	20,000 A	\$ 5.5825	85,008	D
Common Stock	07/26/2011		M	13,112 A	\$ 5.5825	98,120	D
Common Stock <sup>(2)</sup>	07/26/2011		D	13,112 D	\$ 56.08	85,008	D

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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 Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)			
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 5.5825	07/26/2011		M		20,000		08/01/2002 <sup>(1)</sup>	08/01/2011	Common Stock	20,000
Stock Appreciation Rights	\$ 5.5825	07/26/2011		M		13,112		08/01/2002 <sup>(1)</sup>	08/01/2011	Common Stock	13,112

## Reporting Owners

### Reporting Owner Name / Address

### Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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200 CRESCENT COURT, SUITE 1350  
DALLAS, TX 75201

## Signatures

Monique A. Cenac, on behalf of Gerald J. Ford, pursuant to a power of attorney

07/27/2011

\_\_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.

(2) Amount beneficially owned following the reported transactions includes 8,000 Common Stock Restricted Stock Units.

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