

FREEPORT MCMORAN COPPER & GOLD INC

Form 4

June 03, 2008

FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
LACKEY BOBBY LEE

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)
7315 SANDS TERRACE LANE
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
06/01/2008

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

SPRING, TX 77389

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

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

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. Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired 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)
				(A) or (D) Code V Amount (D) Price			
Common Stock	06/01/2008		A	2,000 A \$ 0	10,421	D	
Common Stock	06/02/2008		M	2,500 A \$ 33.47	12,921	D	
Common Stock	06/02/2008		M	2,500 A \$ 35.715	15,421	D	
Common Stock	06/02/2008		M	2,500 A \$ 54.775	17,921	D	
Common Stock	06/02/2008		M	2,500 A \$ 79.5	20,421	D	

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Common Stock	06/02/2008	S	500	D	\$ 117.47	19,921	D
Common Stock	06/02/2008	S	100	D	\$ 117.46	19,821	D
Common Stock	06/02/2008	S	1,100	D	\$ 117.45	18,721	D
Common Stock	06/02/2008	S	600	D	\$ 117.4	18,121	D
Common Stock	06/02/2008	S	100	D	\$ 117.36	18,021	D
Common Stock	06/02/2008	S	800	D	\$ 117.35	17,221	D
Common Stock	06/02/2008	S	200	D	\$ 117.34	17,021	D
Common Stock	06/02/2008	S	300	D	\$ 117.31	16,721	D
Common Stock	06/02/2008	S	200	D	\$ 117.3	16,521	D
Common Stock	06/02/2008	S	100	D	\$ 117.28	16,421	D
Common Stock	06/02/2008	S	100	D	\$ 117.27	16,321	D
Common Stock	06/02/2008	S	200	D	\$ 117.26	16,121	D
Common Stock	06/02/2008	S	200	D	\$ 117.25	15,921	D
Common Stock	06/02/2008	S	400	D	\$ 117.21	15,521	D
Common Stock	06/02/2008	S	799	D	\$ 117.2	14,722	D
Common Stock	06/02/2008	S	1,900	D	\$ 117.19	12,822	D
Common Stock	06/02/2008	S	1,001	D	\$ 117.18	11,821	D
Common Stock ⁽⁶⁾	06/02/2008	S	1,400	D	\$ 117.17	10,421	D

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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)			
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 115.71	06/01/2008		A		10,000		06/01/2009 ⁽¹⁾	06/01/2018	Common Stock	10,000
Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 33.47	06/02/2008		M			2,500	06/01/2005 ⁽²⁾	06/01/2014	Common Stock	2,500
Options (right to buy)	\$ 35.715	06/02/2008		M			2,500	06/01/2006 ⁽³⁾	06/01/2015	Common Stock	2,500
Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 54.775	06/02/2008		M			2,500	06/01/2007 ⁽⁴⁾	06/01/2016	Common Stock	2,500
Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 79.5	06/02/2008		M			2,500	06/01/2008 ⁽⁵⁾	06/01/2017	Common Stock	2,500

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
LACKEY BOBBY LEE 7315 SANDS TERRACE LANE SPRING, TX 77389				

Signatures

Kelly C. Simoneaux on behalf of Bobby Lee Lackey pursuant to a power of attorney

06/03/2008

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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(1) 25% exercisable on the date indicated and 25% exercisable on each of the next three anniversaries thereof.

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- (3) 25% exercisable on the date indicated and 25% exercisable on each of the next three anniversaries thereof.
- (4) 25% exercisable on the date indicated and 25% exercisable on each of the next three anniversaries thereof.
- (5) 25% exercisable on the date indicated and 25% exercisable on each of the next three anniversaries thereof.
- (6) Amount beneficially owned following the reported transactions includes 5,000 Common Stock Restricted Stock Units.

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