

FREEPORT MCMORAN COPPER & GOLD INC

Form 4

July 29, 2013

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

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
FLORES JAMES C

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)

700 MILAM, SUITE 3100

(Street)

HOUSTON, TX 77002

(City)

(State)

(Zip)

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

07/25/2013

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

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

Vice Chairman of the Board

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
X Form filed by One Reporting Person
____ 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 (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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock				(A) or (D)	Price	4,345,083 (1)	D
Common Stock						285 (2)	I By 401(k) plan
Common Stock						350,000	I Flores No. 2 Family Limited Partnership
Common Stock						1,050,458	I Flores Family Limited Partnership

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Common Stock	07/25/2013	P	17,350	A	\$ 28.75	17,350	I	OLF Partnership, L.P.
Common Stock	07/26/2013	P	500,000 (3)	A	\$ 28.6445	886,041	I	By Sable Management, L.P.

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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 3)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
FLORES JAMES C 700 MILAM SUITE 3100 HOUSTON, TX 77002	Vice Chairman of the Board

Signatures

Monique A. Cenac on behalf of James C. Flores pursuant to a power of attorney 07/29/2013

__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) Includes 128,718 stock-settled Restricted Stock Units.

(2) Based on plan statement dated June 28, 2013.

The price reported represents the weighted average price of the shares purchased. Shares were purchased at varying prices in the range of
(3) \$28.405 - \$28.93. The Reporting Person hereby undertakes, upon request of the Staff of the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer, to provide full information regarding the number of shares purchased at each separate price.

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