PHELPS DODGE CORP

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Naccarati David C Issuer Symbol PHELPS DODGE CORP [PD] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner Other (specify X_ Officer (give title C/O PHELPS DODGE 07/05/2005 below) CORPORATION, ONE NORTH President - PDMC **CENTRAL AVENUE** (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

PHOENIX, AZ 85004

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(City)	(State) (Z	Table	I - Non-De	rivative S	ecurit	ties Acquir	ed, Disposed of,	or Beneficially	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired ion(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or			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 SHARES (1)	07/05/2005		Code V $M_{\underline{(1)}}$	Amount 2,167	(D)	Price \$ 40.605	14,648	D	
COMMON SHARES (1)	07/05/2005		S <u>(1)</u>	2,167	D	\$ 93.515	12,481	D	

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	Secur Acqui (A) or	rivative rities ired rosed of . 3, 4,	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	/ (A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amoun or Numbe of Shares
Employee Stock Options / Right to Purchase	\$ 40.605	07/05/2005		M <u>(1)</u>		2,167	07/02/2005	07/03/2012	COMMON SHARES	2,167

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Naccarati David C

C/O PHELPS DODGE CORPORATION ONE NORTH CENTRAL AVENUE PHOENIX. AZ 85004

President - PDMC

Signatures

/s/S. David Colton, Attorney-in-fact for David C.

Naccarati 07/07/2005

**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) THIS TRANSACTION WAS EFFECTED PURSUANT TO A RULE 10b-5-1(c) TRADING PLAN DATED FEBRUARY 11, 2005.

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