

MACHRIBIE ADRIANTO
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 MACHRIBIE ADRIANTO

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)
 1615 POYDRAS STREET
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 02/01/2006

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 ____ Officer (give title below) ____ Other (specify below)
 President Dir of Subsidiary

NEW ORLEANS, LA 70112

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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(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 Indirect Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount or Price		
Class B Common Stock	02/01/2006		M		\$ 63,750	D	
Class B Common Stock	02/01/2006		S		\$ 64.59	D	
Class B Common Stock	02/01/2006		S		\$ 64.56	D	
Class B Common	02/01/2006		S		\$ 61,150	D	
					64.55		

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Stock							
Class B Common Stock	02/01/2006	S	600	D	\$ 64.54	60,550	D
Class B Common Stock	02/01/2006	S	400	D	\$ 64.53	60,150	D
Class B Common Stock	02/01/2006	S	5,000	D	\$ 64.52	55,150	D
Class B Common Stock	02/01/2006	S	2,100	D	\$ 64.51	53,050	D
Class B Common Stock	02/01/2006	S	20,650	D	\$ 64.5	32,400	D
Class B Common Stock	02/01/2006	S	3,700	D	\$ 64.49	28,700	D
Class B Common Stock	02/01/2006	S	11,400	D	\$ 64.48	17,300	D
Class B Common Stock	02/01/2006	S	800	D	\$ 64.47	16,500	D
Class B Common Stock	02/01/2006	S	5,600	D	\$ 64.45	10,900	D
Class B Common Stock	02/01/2006	S	6,100	D	\$ 64.44	4,800	D
Class B Common Stock	02/01/2006	S	200	D	\$ 64.43	4,600	D
Class B Common Stock	02/01/2006	S	2,000	D	\$ 64.42	2,600	D
Class B Common Stock	02/01/2006	S	1,700	D	\$ 64.4	900	D
Class B Common Stock	02/01/2006	S	900	D	\$ 64.37	0	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 of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares
Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 37.04	02/01/2006		M	63,750	02/01/2006 ⁽¹⁾ 02/01/2015	Class B Common Stock	63,750

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
MACHRIBIE ADRIANTO 1615 POYDRAS STREET NEW ORLEANS, LA 70112			President Dir of Subsidiary	

Signatures

Kelly C. Simoneaux, on behalf of Adrianto Machribie pursuant to a power of attorney

02/02/2006

**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.

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