

Copper Queen Branch/Freeport-McMoRan Corporation 36 West Highway 92 Bisbee, Arizona 85603

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May 7, 2009

Cynthia S. Campbell Manager, Water Compliance Section Arizona Department of Environmental Quality 1110 West Washington Street Phoenix, Arizona 85007

RE: Interim Action Report for NWC-03

Mitigation Order on Consent, Docket No. P-121-07

Dear Ms. Campbell:

In accordance with Mitigation Order on Consent, Docket No. P-121-07 (MO) between Freeport-McMoRan Corporation, Copper Queen Branch (CQB) and Arizona Department of Environmental Quality (ADEQ), an interim action report is to be submitted to ADEQ within 30 days of implementing an interim action. As stipulated in the MO, the interim action report shall "state the name of the owner(s)/operator(s) of the affected well, the location and type of well (public or private) affected, and the interim action selected."

In May, 2009 an interim action was implemented for well NWC-03 (Arizona Department of Water Resources Well Registry Number 55-203321) located on the west side of Naco Highway approximately 2,000 feet south of Purdy Lane. Well NWC-03 is a water supply well with eleven (11) service connections that is owned and operated by Naco Water Company. Bottled water is being supplied to the users of NWC-03 as an interim action.

Sincerely,

Rebecca A. Sawyer

Sr. Environmental Engineer

Copper Queen Branch