



Copper Queen Branch/Freeport-McMoRan Corporation  
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June 2, 2014

Ms. Mindi Cross  
Water Quality Compliance Section  
Arizona Department of Environmental Quality  
1110 West Washington Street  
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**RE: Mitigation Order on Consent No. P-121-07  
March 1, 2014 through May 31, 2014**

Dear Ms. Cross:

Freeport-McMoRan Corporation, Copper Queen Branch (CQB) is submitting the twenty-fourth Status Report in accordance with Section V.A. of Mitigation Order on Consent No. P-121-07. This submittal covers the period from March 1, 2014 through May 31, 2014 in accordance with ADEQ's February 12, 2008 approval of the schedule for submission of quarterly Status Reports.

Since March 1, 2014, the following measures have been taken under Section III of the MO:

- Submitted First Quarter 2014, status report dated February 27, 2014.
- On March 19, 2014 met with ADEQ to discuss CQB's February 27, 2014 responses to ADEQ comments on the draft Feasibility Study for drinking water supplies that may be affected in the future.
- On April 2, 2014, received a letter from ADEQ approving the Feasibility Study and requesting that CQB submit a Mitigation Plan.
- Submitted the First Quarter 2014, quarterly groundwater monitoring report dated April 9, 2014.
- In May, met with representatives of Turquoise Valley Golf Course and Arizona Water Company to discuss potential monitoring well locations for the expanded groundwater monitoring program.
- On May 29, 2014 submitted the Feasibility Study, revised to include CQB's comment responses, and Mitigation Plan for drinking water supplies that may be affected in the future.

During the next quarter, the following activities will be conducted:

- Complete second quarter 2014 and begin third quarter 2014 groundwater monitoring.
- Submit second quarter 2014 groundwater monitoring report.
- Hold second CAG meeting on June 4, 2014.

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- Solicit drilling bids for the expanded groundwater monitoring program wells and select contractor.

If you have any questions regarding this Status Report, please contact me at (602) 366-8303.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Stuart Brown". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Stuart" being more prominent than the last name "Brown".

Stuart Brown  
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Freeport-McMoRan Corporation

cc: Robert Quintanar/Freeport-McMoRan Corporation, Copper Queen Branch  
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