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May 31, 2018

Mr. David Lelsz
Water Quality Division
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Arizona Department of Environmental Quality
1110 West Washington Street
Phoenix, Arizona 85007

**Re: March 1, 2018 through May 31, 2018
 Mitigation Order on Consent No. P-121-07**

Dear Mr. Lelsz:

Freeport Minerals Corporation, Copper Queen Branch (CQB) is submitting the fortieth 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, 2018 through May 31, 2018 in accordance with ADEQ's February 12, 2008 approval of the schedule for submission of quarterly Status Reports.

Since March 1, 2018, the following measures have been taken under Section III of the MO:

- Submitted the fourth Annual Groundwater Monitoring Report on March 1, 2018.
- Implemented an interim mitigation action for the Rogers 596 well
- Submitted Rogers 596 Interim Well Mitigation Action Report on March 28, 2018.
- Submitted the fourth Annual Mitigation Performance Review Report on April 17, 2018.
- Received ADEQ agreement to a postponement of the April 1, 2018 submittal date for sentinel well and action level recommendations.
- Conducted second quarter 2018 groundwater monitoring.

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

- Conduct third quarter 2018 groundwater monitoring.

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If you have any questions regarding this Status Report, please contact me at (520) 432-6206 or our project manager Dave Gosen at (602) 366-7312.

Sincerely,



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