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May 31, 2021

Ms. Ashley Devore
Water Quality Division
Inspections and Compliance Unit
Arizona Department of Environmental Quality
1110 West Washington Street
Phoenix, Arizona 85007

Re: March 1, 2021 through May 31, 2021 Mitigation Order on Consent No. P-121-07

Dear Ms. Devore:

Freeport Minerals Corporation, Copper Queen Branch (CQB) is submitting the fifty-second 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, 2021 through May 31, 2021 in accordance with ADEQ's February 12, 2008 approval of the schedule for submission of quarterly Status Reports.

Since March 1, 2021, the following measures have been taken under Section III of the MO:

- Submitted the sixth Annual Groundwater Monitoring Report on March 22, 2021.
- Conducted second quarter 2021 groundwater monitoring.

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

- Conduct third quarter 2021 groundwater monitoring.
- Conduct the annual CAG meeting for 2021 virtually via Microsoft Teams Meeting.

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,

Fernando Alday

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