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VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

May 31, 2024

Bret Esslin Water Quality Division Inspections and Compliance Unit Arizona Department of Environmental Quality 1110 West Washington Street Phoenix, Arizona 85007

Re: March 1, 2024 through May 31, 2024 Mitigation Order on Consent No. P-121-07

Dear Bret Esslin:

Freeport Minerals Corporation, Copper Queen Branch (CQB) is submitting the sixty-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, 2024 through May 31, 2024 in accordance with ADEQ's February 12, 2008 approval of the schedule for submission of quarterly Status Reports.

Since March 1, 2024, the following measures have been taken under Section III of the MO:

- Conducted second quarter 2024 groundwater monitoring.
- Submitted the sixth Mitigation Performance Review Report on April 30, 2024.

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

- Conduct third quarter 2024 groundwater monitoring.
- Conduct the annual CAG meeting for 2024 virtually via Microsoft Teams Meeting.

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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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Fernando Alday Chief Environmental Engineer Copper Queen Branch

cc: Ethan Leiter/ADEQ Dave Gosen/Freeport Minerals Corporation Jim Norris/Clear Creek Associates Ben Daigneau/Clear Creek Associates