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May 31, 2025

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

Re: March 1, 2025 through May 31, 2025 Mitigation Order on Consent No. P-121-07

Dear Bret Esslin:

Freeport Minerals Corporation, Copper Queen Branch (CQB) is submitting the sixty-eighth 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, 2025 through May 31, 2025 in accordance with ADEQ's February 12, 2008 approval of the schedule for submission of quarterly Status Reports.

Since March 1, 2025, the following measures have been taken under Section III of the MO:

- Conducted second quarter 2025 groundwater monitoring.
- Submitted the eleventh Annual Groundwater Monitoring Report on March 27, 2025.

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

• Conduct third quarter 2025 groundwater monitoring.

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

Chief Environmental Engineer

Copper Queen Branch

cc: David Kim/ADEQ

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