FREEPORT-MCMORAN INC

Form 4

February 17, 2017

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * WHITMIRE C DONALD JR	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol FREEPORT-MCMORAN INC [FCX]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)
(Last) (First) (Middle) 333 NORTH CENTRAL AVENUE	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/15/2017	Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) VP & Controller Financial Rptg
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person
PHOENIX, AZ 85004		Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivativ	e Secu	rities Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficial	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	omr Dispo (Instr. 3,	esed of 4 and (A) or	` ′	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock (1)					. ,		1,897	I	Through 401(k) Plan
Common Stock	02/15/2017		S	1,250	D	\$ 15.375	6,250	I	By Spouse, through GRAT
Common Stock (2)	02/15/2017		F(3)	2,287	D	\$ 15.9	60,989	D	
Common Stock	02/16/2017		S	1,275 (4)	D	\$ 15.0639	6,225	I	Through GRAT

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Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerci	sable and	7. Title	and	8. Price of
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transact	iorNumber	Expiration Da	te	Amoun	nt of	Derivative
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/Y	(ear)	Underl	ying	Security
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Securit	ies	(Instr. 5)
	Derivative				Securities			(Instr. 3	3 and 4)	
	Security				Acquired					
					(A) or					
					Disposed					
					of (D)					
					(Instr. 3,					
					4, and 5)					
									Amount	
						Date	Expiration	or		
						Exercisable Date	Date		Number	
									of	
				Code V	$^{\prime}$ (A) (D)				Shares	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

WHITMIRE C DONALD JR 333 NORTH CENTRAL AVENUE PHOENIX, AZ 85004

VP & Controller Financial Rptg

Signatures

Kelly C. Simoneaux, on behalf of C. Donald Whitmire, Jr. pursuant to a power of attorney

02/17/2017

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9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Based on plan statement as of December 31, 2016.
- (2) Amount beneficially owned following the reported transaction includes 16,333 time vested Common Stock Restricted Stock Units.
- (3) Shares withheld to cover taxes due upon vesting of 7,167 Common Stock Restricted Stock Units.
 - The price reported represents the weighted average price of the shares sold. Shares were sold at varying prices in the range of \$15.0625 -
- (4) \$15.0642. The Reporting Person hereby undertakes, upon request of the Staff of the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer, to provide full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.

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Reporting Owners 2

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