

Johnson Roger
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Johnson Roger

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
NEWMONT MINING CORP /DE/ [NEM]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
6363 SOUTH FIDDLERS GREEN
CIRCLE

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
01/18/2011

____ Director
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
Vice President & CAO

(Street)
GREENWOOD
VILLAGE, CO 80111

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
____ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| | | | | (A) or (D) | Amount | | Price |

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)

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| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|--|
| Phantom Stock | (1) | 01/18/2011 | | M | 93 | (2) (2) | Common Stock | 93 \$ 56.56 (1) |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|----------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Johnson Roger 6363 SOUTH FIDDLERS GREEN CIRCLE GREENWOOD VILLAGE, CO 80111 | | | Vice President & CAO | |

Signatures

Logan H. Hennessey, Assistant Secretary, as attorney-in-fact
 01/20/2011
 **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).
- Each share of phantom stock held in the Saving Equalization Plan (the "SEQ") is the economic equivalent of one share of the Issuer's common stock. Pursuant to the terms and conditions of the SEQ, the reporting person elected in September 2008 to receive a cash distribution on January 15, 2011 (or the soonest business day thereafter) of the phantom stock represented by the reporting person's contributions to the SEQ made between January 1, 2005 and December 31, 2008. Such shares of phantom stock were valued at the closing price of the Issuer's common stock on January 18, 2011 and the reporting person received cash equal to such value.
- Active SEQ participants who made contributions from January 1, 2005 to December 31, 2008 held the right to elect on or before December 31, 2008 an in-service distribution to be paid pursuant to the terms of the SEQ. The reporting person made such election in September 2008.

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